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Every article marked in *Plain Figures.*

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THE WAR IN THE EAST

The Japanese, After a Partial Defeat,

RALLY ALL THEIR AVAILABLE FORCE,

Take the Offensive and Achieve a Decisive Victory—An Imperial Edict—The New Chinese Minister to England at Osborne.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 4.—Cable advices to the Japanese legation say that on the 20th ult. Japanese troops at Seoul advanced upon the Chinese position at Shan Yeng, and after a fight which lasted several hours, drove the Chinese from their stronghold, capturing many prisoners and munitions of war. On the morning of the 30th the Japanese troops proceeded to march to Gasan

The legation has not yet received any news of a fight at the latter place, and believes, in view of what has been received about the battle at Shan Yeng that the reports of the Chinese victory at Ashan or Yashan have been confused with a battle which took place at Gasan The legation officers here say that the Chinese would have to go the same distance as the Japanese to telegraph the result of such a battle and if there had been such a victory the news of it would have been received here.

The legation yesterday afternoon received a detailed dispatch from Japan confirming the accounts by the United Press of the sinking of the British transport Kow Shing, and reiterating the assertion that the fight was begun by the firing of a torpedo from the Chinese war ship Chinuen upon the Japanese cruiser Naniwa Kan.

AN IMPERIAL EDICT.

China's Rights in Corea Have the Sanction of Antiquity.

LONDON, Aug. 4.—The Times correspondent in Tien-Tsin telegraphs

The preamble of an imperial edict just issued recites that the Chinese now claim in Corea merely the suzerainty which has existed for hundreds of years.

China has constantly asserted the right to subdue rebellions. Recently she sent forces to Corea for this object. Japan, without any right, also sent troops and refused to withdraw them Moreover, the Japanese sank a Chinese transport.

Other powers have not hesitated to condemn Japan's action. The emperor places all the military authorities under Li Hung Chang to protect the rights of the empire, and orders that Japanese ships wherever found be captured and destroyed Copies of the edict probably will be sent to the powers.

The Times remarks that this dispatch seems to conflict with the announcement of Li Hung Chang's degradation.

A JAPANESE VICTORY.

The Mikado's Troops Victorious in Yashan.

TOKIO, Aug. 4.—It is reported that there has been a fresh collision between the Japanese and Chinese troops in Corea

It seems that after their recent defeat at Yashan the Japanese assembled their whole available strength and took the offensive, achieving a decided victory over the Chinese.

The New Chinese Minister to England.

LONDON, Aug. 4.—Sir Halliday Macartney, councillor of the Chinese legation, and the new Chinese minister, called at Osborne house yesterday, and the minister presented his credentials. While at Orborne the minister received a Pekin dispatch which announced the degradation of Li Hung Chang.

The Central News says that the Japanese legation is supposed to be preparing another statement of the Kow Shing affair. At the cabinet meeting yesterday the war in the east was the chief subject of discussion. After the meeting the Earl of Kimberly sent messages to many British agents in the east.

The Beginning of the Big Yacht Races.

COWES, Aug. 4.—Yachts and war ships fill the roads and a great crowd awaits here the beginning of the big matches. George Gould met the Prince of Wales at the house of the Royal Yacht squadron yesterday and arranged with him the final details of the Vigilant-Britannia match. The Vigilant, which returned to Southampton for measurement, has been rated at 169, and she will allow two minutes and four seconds to the Britannia Both yachts were towed to Cowes last night. The Duke of York and Prince Henry of Battenburg are among the many conspicuous persons who have come down for to-day's race.

An Anarchist Scare.

LYONS, Aug. 6.—A fond report startled the residents of the district round the place de la Croix last evening. Everybody in the district supposed that the anarchists had begun taking revenge for Caesario's condemnation. Their alarm was allayed by the discovery that there had been merely a slight accident in the boiler room of Pictot's silk works.

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To the boy under 15 years of age guessing nearest to the number, we will give a fine Pneumatic Tire Bicycle bought of Dodd, Sanner & Co.

To the person over 15 years of age guessing nearest the number we will give a fine 28-inch, tangent spokes, Pneumatic Tire Bicycle bought of Dodd, Sanner & Co.

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China Silks that were 50 and 60 cents	29c
Black and white Taffeta Silks that were 75 cents	38c
Colored Bengaline Silks were $1.00	49c
Best quality of 30-inch Swivel Wash Silks were 58 cents	35c
Our entire stock of fine all wool French Challies, originally 50, 60 and 65 cents, all marked	39c
50 pieces of 32-inch Cotton Pongee	8½c
25 pieces imported Broche Sateens, regular 35 cent quality	18c
Choice American Sateens, best quality	12½c
Novelty Dress Patterns, originally $12 and $14 a suit, marked down to	$8.00
$15, $20 and $25 Novelty Silk and Wool Dress Patterns now	12.00
50 dozen large, white Bed Spreads	69c
Extra large, fine, white Bed Spreads, worth $1.25	97c
50 pieces of finest, imported Scotch and English Ginghams were 47 and 50c	25c
75 cent fast color calico wrappers, all sizes	69c
50 American gloria Silk Umbrellas, fine wood handles, worth $1.00	75c
50 Twilled Silk Umbrellas, worth $1.50	$1.00
Fancy China Floor Matting, worth 15 cents	10c
Ladies' India Linen Shirt Waists, soft collars and cuffs, worth 50c	39c
Ladies' Finest India Linen Shirt Waists, were $2.75, $3 and $3.50, your choice	$1.79

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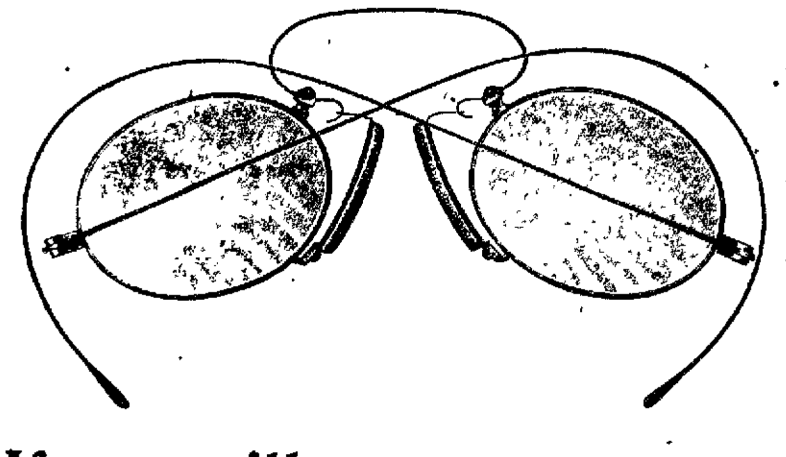

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This is the season when we want to sell them and it is the season when you want to buy them. There ought not to be the slightest difficulty in our agreeing if you will only come to our store and bring your feet with you. We have a great stock of Men's Tan Shoes which we want to turn into money during this hot weather, and we are not going to ask you a regular price for them, either. The truth is that we want to sell them so bad that we don't mind about the profit. We will sell you any pair of our Men's Tan Shoes that were bought to sell at $4.00, at only $2.98. Our fine $6.00 Hanan & Sons' cloth top, wing tip, button tans—we will sell you as many pairs of them as you want at $4 per pair. These are samples only of the prices we make. The truth is that in the tan shoes for ladies which we have on hand there are just as great bargains as in those for men's wear. We must clean up this stock and we invite your co-operation. If you examine these goods we know you will buy.

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LOCAL NEWS.

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GRANULATED Sugar 20 lb $100, Arcade.

SMOKE the old reliable K. & W. cigars. mar25-dtf

THE Mills string of horses will be at Hume next week.

IRWIN'S Iron Tonic Bitters cures indigestion and nervous exhaustion.

J. H. LISTON and family have moved from Maroa to Decatur.

A CHANCE to get a bicycle for nothing at the B. Stine Clothing Co. Read ad.

THE Dutchman has come to stay. 1m

ANY style parlor suit or couch made to order at Tay's factory. july31-d2w

GUESSES run from 400 to 47,100 at the B. Stine Clothing Co. What's yours?

BICYCLES TO RENT, DODD & SANNER Co., 153 Merchant St. apr18-dtf

THE Grand Opera House cigars, made by Keck & Weigand, are the best in town. mar25-dtf

OUR 98c Oxfords to close at 79c per pair. ARCADE.

BOILED Ham and Spring Lamb. d2t ARCADE.

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CALDWELL'S Syrup Pepsin for constipation and sick headache 10 doses for 10 cents.

JOSHUA GIDDLE has purchased the farm of Daniel Schenck in Austin township, 155 acres; consideration, $12,200.

GO TO the Spencer & Lehman company for wood pumps, iron pumps, force pumps and pump repairs. feb6-d&wtf

DR. ONEAL will preach at the chapel corner Herkimer and Broadway, at 7:45 p. m., Sunday.

LAST night Rev. J. A. F. King and Rev. Geo. F. Hall offered prayers at the camp meeting,

DR. S. H. Swain at the last meeting of the Decatur fire commissioners was appointed city veterinarian.

THIS afternoon the police sold a lot of watches and jewelry, put up for bonds in city cases and forfeited.

JUST now nearly everybody who has the price is laying in a supply of hard and soft coal for winter use.

PRETTY cold weather o' nights just now for August. It was 63 in bedrooms yesterday morning, and 70 this morning.

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.

SUNDAY the Sabbath school of the First M. E. church will be held at 9:15 a. m. All pupils will govern themselves accordingly.

ELEGANT correspondence stationery, latest styles and at low prices. In package lots at wholesale price. Bevans' City Book Store. 30d6

HARRY HOLIDAY to-day authorizes the statement that he and his comrade, J. M. Hughes, will make a balloon ascension on Thursday, August 23d, at the Decatur Trotting Park.

KEEP a few bottles of beer in your ice chest. The St. Louis A. B. C. Bohemian bottled beer, brewed by the American Brewing Co., is the best. George Kraft, wholesale dealer.

MRS. LUCY C. MILLER, Bingham, Mich., writes makers of Dr. Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer: "I needed *help* if any poor mortal ever needed it." Many others need help for their nerves. Call on us. C. H. Dawson.

J. G. SHEA, who has contracts for street paving amounting to about $138,000, at Mattoon, will finish the job this season. Mr. Shea gets his brick from Decatur and Danville. Charleston is advertising for bids to pave the streets of that town.

THE officers of the Illinois Building and Loan association at Bloomington, against which Auditor Gore has commenced proceedings, are: President, Judge Thomas F. Tipton; secretary, the Hon. Owen Scott; treasurer, W. W. Stevenson, brother of Vice-President Stevenson.

ATTORNEY WALKER was at Cerro Gordo yesterday to represent John M. Miller in a law suit against Jacob and C. M. Reeser. Sam Reed of Monticello appeared for the defense. It is a case of forcible entry and detainer. It appears that Reeser who is postmaster, under contract of purchasing a lot, moved the postoffice building onto the lot and then did not make the purchase. The trial was continued unti August 13.

THE committee to select the location for the annual meeting of the Brethren church is composed of Solomon Bucklew of Canton, David Vaniman of Virden, Isaac Shively of LaPlace, and William Landis and J. S. Kuns of Cerro Gordo. There are three places in the race for the meeting, Canton, Decatur and Springfield. Canton has already made its offer, which is to furnish grounds, buildings, water, light and $1500 in cash. The other towns have not been heard from, but if the location of the committee amounts to anything, Decatur surely has a good show.—*Cerro Gordo Era.*

YESTERDAY J. D. Shea left Decatur for Mattoon, and while taking dinner at the Mattoon depot hotel, Superintendent Starbuck of the P., D. & E. called out, asking if anybody who came down on the train had lost his pocketbook. Everybody at the table felt for their money, and at once Mr. Shea announced that his pocketbook was gone. He described his property accurately and Superintendent Starbuck restored it to him. The book contained $700 in money and notes and many valuable papers. One of the trainmen had found the book in the coach from which Mr. Shea had emerged.

TO-MORROW Pleasant View township will hold a Sunday school convention in the U. B. church at Blue Mound. Addresses will be given by Rev. W. C. Lacey, Dr A. C Foster, Mrs. S. Henshie, Mrs. J. W. Robertson, H. J. Yarnell, Elder J. W. Strawn, Rev. W. L. Bankson, W. H. Bean, R. A. Gray and others. Miss Lola Raber will give a reading. There will be singing by a quartette, and Sunday school workers from Decatur are invited to attend.

TO-DAY the banking house of J. Millikin & Co. received $40,000 in currency from Chicago. It was the balance due them in the Chicago banks to August 1, the usual monthly settlement. The Hammer brothers had extra work on a busy day to verify the count. Lots of money is getting into circulation as the products of the farms come on the market.

THE body of John Toboski, who was drowned in the Sangamon yesterday, was taken to the county farm to-day and buried in the potter's field. Toboski had come to America from Germany to seek work to pay for his passage over the ocean and to save money. Death claimed him before he could find work.

THE Rev. J. A. F. King conducted the funeral of the late Nancy Stare this forenoon from the United Brethren church. There was a large attendance of friends. The burial was in Greenwood. The pallbearers were Messrs. Kramer, Barnett, Schamel, Faus, Garver and Vest.

A NEW grain elevator is going up at Allenville, on the P., D. & E. road south of Sullivan, on the site of the one recently destroyed by fire.

THIS has been an unusually quiet day in the police courts. Justice Peddecord will have several interesting cases before him next Tuesday.

THE rivalry between the local base ball teams is hot. It will be hotter before the close of the season.

Strikers Punished.

In the United States court at Springfield yesterday George Williamson, Charles McCannas, and C. E. Bradshaw, striking Chicago and Eastern Illinois railroad employed at Danville, pleaded guilty to obstructing United States mails and went to jail in default of $25 fines. C. E. Griffin, bookbinder, of Danville, who caused the arrest of a Wabash engineer pulling a train of deputy marshals on a charge of failing to ring the bell, and incited a mob to pull the engineer off the cab, was tried and found guilty and committed in default of a fine of $50 and costs.

At Rest.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Frank Montague, daughter of Prof. Wilhelmy, took place this forenoon from St. James' German Catholic church in the presence of a large number of friends, among whom were John Scherer of Danville, Joseph Remley of Enfield, and Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Ledderer of Bloomington. Rev. Father Lammert conducted the services and the burial was in the Catholic cemetery. The pallbearers were L. W. Fribourg, Timothy Ronan, John Keck, T. Vest, Antony Scherer and Adam Seeforth.

Not Laid Off.

An item has appeared in the local morning papers in which the statement is made that Engineer J. B. Sanford had been laid off by the Wabash. The facts are that Mr. Sanford, who has been sick, was given a few days to rest up. Engineer Helvey took the No. 564 during Sanford's sickness. Sanford has reported for work and will take his engine as before on the passenger.

He is Better.

Attorney John A. Brown was at Mattoon yesterday, and while there had quite a chat with Judge Hughes, who has been a very sick man for over a year. He is able now to be around, but he is very weak, and mends very slowly. The Judge requires help in getting around.

Will Go in the Races.

Will S. Ruby, who is in Chicago attending the bicycle races, qualified for two of the events to-day. In the trial heat for the quarter mile open, time 35½, he was second. In the two-third mile open, time 1:40, he was second. In the third of a mile open, he failed to qualify.

Ladies.

Do not worry trying to friz your hair, but go to Miss Williams and get a nice naturally curly bang. No net. No wire. 205 South Park street. 4d6

PERSONAL MENTION.

Sidney Bachrach is on the sick list.

Mrs. A. Bishop left to-day for Peoria.

A. L. Montgomery is in Heyworth on business.

Frank Provost left to-day for his home in Toledo.

Wilbur Humphrey, of Indianapolis is in the city.

W. P. Shade was in Bement yesterday on business.

Clifford Hubbard is in Taylorville to-day on a visit.

Geo. A. Fleming has returned from Storm Lake, Iowa.

Rev. Galeener will conduct services at Hillsboro on Sunday.

Miss Mame Chamberlain left to-day for her home in Macon.

Mrs. Dr. Royer, of Monticello, is a guest of M. M. Holmes.

Mrs. Peter Perl and son, Frank, are visiting in Morgan county.

Miss Carrie Eberhardt left to-day for Wakefield to visit relatives.

Miss Dode Champney, of Maroa, is the guest of Miss Dolly Davis.

James Lichtenberger, of Whitmore township, visited the city to-day.

Mrs. Myers, of Stonington, is in the city visiting her son, J. H. Myers.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Watkins left to-day for Frankfort, Ind., to spend Sunday.

George W. Betzer and his three sons came in from Whitmore township to-day.

Mr. and Mrs R. F. Morrow, of Virden, are the guests of Rev and Mrs. D. F. Howe.

J. B. Bullard left this afternoon for Buffalo to embalm the remains of the late Mrs. Garvey.

Miss Lillian Woolington, of Monticello, daughter of Seriff Woolington, is a guest of Miss Agnes Perl.

Graham Crume, after a visit with the family of C. A. Pollock, returned yesterday to his home in Peru, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Quincy Belknap, of Bismarck, Mo., are visiting F. D. Belknap and family, near Blue Mound.

Miss Edna Henry, who has been the guest of Miss Maude Calhoun, has returned to her home in Clinton.

Miss Nettie Buck, of Wellington, Kan., is in the city, having been called here by the serious illness of her mother.

Mrs. Jennie Robinson and daughters, Misses Cora and Nettie Bradshaw, left last night for Bloomington, where they will make their home.

Misses Alice and Lucy Roberts left yesterday for Minneapolis, Minn. They will visit the northern Wisconsin lakes before returning home.

Miss Jennie Rogers has gone to Ottawa Beach, having accompanied her sister, Mrs. H. D. Spencer and Dr. and Mrs. Park, of Bloomington.

C. H. Collins left to-day for Farmer City, to arrange for the rental of a vacant store room to Wand, the grocer, who was burnt out last night.

Mrs. J. C. Stevens left last evening for Ashland, Ill., in response to a telegram stating that her nephew, Albert James, was in a dying condition.

Mrs. Lucinda Kelly, of Rutland, Mrs. Robert Gray, of Toluca, and Mrs. Wm. McDonald, of Kansas City, Mo., are the guests of W. H. Thain and family.

Attorney William Fuller is reported to be in a dying state at Clinton. He is a professional gentleman quite well known throughout Central Illinois.

Abraham Peck and daughter, Mrs. Moffit, of Monticello, are in the city visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Peck. Mrs. B. Machner and daughter, of Austin, Texas, are also guests at the Peck residence.

W. E. R. Kell went down to Springfield yesterday to attend a meeting of the members of the state central committee of the people's party. To day he will go to Christian county to attend a picnic and political gathering given by the populists.

Dr. W. O. Coffee.

The noted Chicago oculist and aurist finding it impossible to get through with all the operations on the eye and ear, has decided to remain in Decatur at the St. Nicholas one more week, until Saturday, Aug. 11.

Probably few physicians have visited Decatur that have in the short length of time created as favorable impression as Dr. Coffee. He came with the best of recommendations and this week he has treated many cases of catarrh, cross eyes, deafness and blindness, and his treatment for deafness is something remarkable, relieving or materially benefiting each case at first treatment. Among a few cases treated by him here we will mention the case of T. L. Johnson, of Warrensburg, had been deaf for ten years from chronic cartarrh, had been treated by several oculists in Springfield and St. Louis with no benefit. He called on Dr. Coffee Tuesday last at the hotel and was treated three days; in that time his hearing was restored two-thirds better than it was before. Another case is John Richards, a carpenter in this city; was deaf two years, had constant noises in his ears. He was treated by Dr. Coffee Wednesday and every day this week, and now his hearing is almost perfect. Albert Jones' son was cross-eyed since childhood; were straightened in one minute by Dr. Coffee this week.

Matrimony.

Married, Wednesday, at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John F. McDonald, by Rev. G. W. Tupper, Thomas H. Young, of Decatur, aged 17, and Miss Minnie McDonald, aged 20. They immediately left for Decatur, where they will reside.—*Sullivan Herald, Aug. 4th.*

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Five or more tons of coal delivered at $1.75 a ton cash.
July 11-dtf DECATUR COAL CO.

THE CHURCHES TO-MORROW.

SOUTH BROADWAY BAPTIST CHURCH.
Rev. Archie Ward, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m.

U. B. CENTENARY CHURCH.
456 North Broadway. J. A. F. King, pastor. Class meeting at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. by Rev. H. W. Trueblood, D. D., pastor of the U. B. church at Kearney, Neb. Sabbath school at 2:30 p. m., J. McMahon, Supt. No evening service.

FIRST ENGLISH EV'NG. LUTHERAN.
Corner of N. Main and William streets, M. L. Wagner, pastor. Services at 10.30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Preaching by the pastor. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m.

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.
Rev. A. W. Hawkins pastor. Services in W. C. T. U. hall. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 10:45 a. m. Endeavor service at 6:45 p. m. No preaching at night.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.
W. H. Penhallegon, pastor. Services at 10:45 a. m. Preaching by Rev. Robert Watt, of Carbondale. Subject, "The Great Inspiration." Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Intermediate Endeavor at 4 p. m. Senior Endeavor at 6:45 p. m. No evening service.

WESTMINSTER CHAPEL.
Corner of Macon street and Haworth avenue Sunday school at 2 p. m., R. J. Simpson, Supt.

COLLEGE STREET CHAPEL.
Sunday school at 2 p. m., R. G. Wells, Supt.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.
Cor. N. Water and E. North streets. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Intermediate Y. P. S. C. E. Sunday evening at 6:45. Union services at 7:45 Preaching, by Rev. J. A. F. King, of the U. B. church. Y. P. S. C. E., Monday evening at 7:45. East Park Bible school at 2:30 p. m.

FIRST M. E. CHURCH.
Rev. D. F. Howe pastor. Class meeting at 9 a. m. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Preaching at 10:45 a. m. by the pastor. Theme: "The Alabama of the Soul." No evening service.

SARGEANT'S CHAPEL.
Sunday school at 2 p. m. Class meeting at 3.15 p. m.

GRACE M. E. CHURCH.
H. H. Oneal, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. by the pastor. Subject, "The Priesthood of Humanity." No evening service. Sunday school at 2 p. m. W. L. Shellabarger, Supt. Class meeting at 9 a. m.

Mission Sunday school, 9 a. m., corner North Broadway and Herkimer streets.
Preaching at this mission by Rev. H. H. Oneal at 7:45 p. m.

FREE METHODIST CHURCH.
Wiley Johnson, pastor. Services to-morrow. Sabbath school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching 10.30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Class meeting at 11.30 a. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening.

ANTIOCH BAPTIST CHURCH.
Hardin Smith, pastor. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by the pastor. Morning theme: "The Way of Religion is the Way of Holiness." Evening theme "Cheerful Giving is Blessed." Sunday School at 2:30 p. m., Solomon Lee, Supt.

GERMAN M. E. CHURCH.
Corner of North Jackson and East North streets. J. C. Rapp, pastor. Class meeting at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m., Albert Witzeman, Supt. Jugend Versammlung at 7:30 p. m. No service in the evening.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.
Corner of Church and Eldorado streets. Rev. W. C. Miller, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:45 p. m. No preaching service. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:45.

CHURCH OF GOD.
Corner of North Water and Cerro Gordo streets. C. P. Rogers, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Sunday school at 2 p. m. Experience meeting at 3 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:45 p. m.

CHRISTIAN TABERNACLE.
Church street, between Eldorado and North. Geo. F. Hall, pastor. Sunday school at 9 a. m. Preaching at 10:30 by the pastor, who has returned. Subject: "The Loving-Kindness of the Lord." No evening service.

SAINT JOHN'S CHURCH—EPISCOPAL.
Rev. Geo. A. Wilkins, M. A., minister in charge. Early celebration, 7 a. m. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Communion and sermon, 10:30 a. m. Vespers, 7:30 p. m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SUNDAY SCHOOL.
Sunday school at 10 a. m. Subject: "Preparing the Way of the Lord." Wednesday evening study of "Science and Health" at 8 o'clock. Rooms 13 and 14, Columbian block.

Y. M. C. A.
Men's gospel meetings in the Y. M. C. A. chapel in Columbia block at 3.30 p. m.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

CHICAGO, Ill., August 4, 1894.

The REPUBLICAN is indebted to B. Z. Taylor, dealer in grain, provisions and stocks, with correspondents in Chicago, New York, Minneapolis and St. Louis, for the following market quotations:

WHEAT CLOSE.
Aug. wheat, 52¼; Sept., 53¼. Dec., 56¼.

CORN CLOSE.
Aug. 49⅞; Sept. 49⅛; Oct. 48⅞; May, 46½.

OATS CLOSE.
Aug. 29⅛; Sept., 29¾; May, 34 asked

PROVISIONS CLOSE.
Pork—Aug. $12 05, Sept., $12.10
Lard—Aug. $7.10, Sept., $7.12½.
Ribs—Aug. $6.77½; Sept., $6.75.

TO-DAY'S RECEIPTS—CAR LOTS.
Wheat—722; Estimated, 663. Last year, 161
Corn—212; Estimated, 250. Last year, 297.
Oats—258; Estimated, 286. Last year, 204.

ESTIMATES FOR TO-MORROW.
Wheat, 700; Corn, 310, Oats, 357.
Cattle receipts, 1,500, market steady.
Receipts of wheat at Minneapolis and Duluth were 100 cars, against 155 the receipts of last year.
Hog receipts, 10,000; 3,000 more than estimated. Market 5c higher. Light, $4.80a$5 10; mixed, $4.75a$5.15; heavy, $4.60a$5.35; rough, $4.60a $4 90. Estimated for Monday, 55,000.
LONDON, 1 p. m.—Cargoes off coast, wheat slow. Corn, nothing offering. On passage, wheat, market quiet, of a holiday character. Corn, firmly held; French country markets rather easier.
LIVERPOOL—Holiday.

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- One Carpenter & Son Organ, 10 stops ... 45 00
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- One Kimball, high top, slightly used, 2 looking glasses, with couplers ... 55 00
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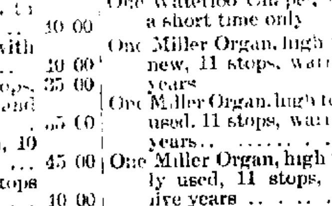

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REPUBLICAN TICKET.

For State Treasurer,
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S. M. INGLIS, of Jackson county.

Trustees University of Illinois,
MRS. LUCY FLOWER, of Cook county.
S. A. BULLARD, of Sangamon county.
ALEX. McLEAN, of McDonough county.

For Congress,
MAJOR J. A. CONNOLLY.

County Judge,
WILLIAM L. HAMMER.

County Treasurer,
CHARLES H. PATTERSON.

County Clerk,
JAMES M. DODD.

Sheriff,
JERRY P. NICHOLSON.

County Superintendent of Schools,
JOHN G. KELLER

CAPITAL and labor are both having hard times to find a profitable market, and before business is resumed, if the Wilson bill becomes a law, both will be compelled to stand a big reduction in their earning power for the very simple reason that we cannot open our ports to foreign goods we ought to make ourselves without crippling the earning power of both capital and labor.

FRANKLIN MACVEAGH, who has been named by the Democrats for United States senator, has declared himself to be in favor of free trade, which means that he is in favor of opening our ports to foreign made goods, and thus taking employment away from American workingmen which means idleness to them, or European wages. Yet, in face of this declaration, the Democratic leaders will ask the workingmen of the country to vote for state senators and members of the house of representatives who will vote to send MacVeagh to the United Senate, instead of a Republican who will vote to protect and build up means for the employment of American workingmen.

The Senatorial Convention.

The convention of delegates to the senatorial convention for the 41st district, held in this city yesterday, completed the Republican ticket to be voted for this fall, so for as the people of Macon county are concerned. Everything is now ready for the campaign. The people know who the candidates are. The contests and guessing who are to be the nominees has ended, and the tickets, complete from top to bottom, have been made up and are now before the voters of the county. These tickets of the several parties will be considered by the voters, and they will give expression to their conclusions at the polls on the 6th day of November.

In forming these conclusions during the campaign principles and policies will enter more largely as a factor than has been the case for a long time. The changes of administration in the nation and in the state in 1892, and which ushered in a change of policy, has revolutionized the business of the country and brought confusion everywhere. Nobody is satisfied with the result and general discontent is apparent everywhere. There is no way to correct the error made at the polls, which was the result of false issues and reckless promises, except to vote the Democratic party out of power and put that party back into power that has shown, through a period of 32 years, part of which were full of gravest dangers to the nation, a capacity to enforce policies that made us the most prosperous people on earth.

To get the Democratic party out of power, the people will have to use good judgement, lay aside every prejucice, and make every vote count in the proper direction. To change the present administration it will be necessary to elect a Republican house of representatives in congress and a Republican general assembly in the state of Illinois. If this is not done at the coming election the present policies will be continued indefinitely. To do this every individual voter will have to act as he does in his business transactions, where he never allows his prejudices to control his judgment. In voting for a congressman he will have to vote for the man who represents and will vote to establish the policies the voter wants carried out, no matter whether he likes the other fellow best who represents the policies he does not want carried out or not. Politics, when it comes to the matter of establishing proper policies or continuing them, is purely a matter of business.

The same rule should be applied to the county ticket, and also to the legislative ticket. The legislature elected in this state this fall will elect a successor to Shelby M. Cullom. The senate of the United states is now Democratic and the present administration cannot be changed without changing the senate as well as the house, for no president and no party can establish and execute a policy with one or both branches of congress opposed to that policy.

The state senators elected this fall will not only vote for a successor to Cullom, but will hold over and vote for the successor to Palmer in 1897, and every Republican state senator gained this fall will vote to continue a Republican in the United States senate as successor to Cullom, and will also vote in 1897 to put a Republican in the senate instead of Palmer. The voter can at once see how important the vote on a state senator and members of the house of representatives is this fall. A failure to elect a single state senator or a member of the house in Illinois this fall, may result in making it impossible to change the United States senate and the administration in 1896, and in that case it would be impossible to change the present policies that year, no matter how the people might vote in 1896. The voter should carefully consider these things along the line of his judgment, entirely free from prejudices or passions.

Workingmen and the Ballot.

Chicago *Evening Journal:* A half light seems to have broken in upon the leaders of the United Mine Workers, the American Railway union, the Knights of Labor and the Amalgamated Association of Street Railway Employes. They have practically decided to abandon the strike for the ballot as a means of securing reforms in the interest of organized labor. So far their determination is wholly wise and admirable. The remedy for all evils that can be remedied by statute in this country lies through the ballot-box, and it is there labor must make its strength and wishes known.

But when these labor leaders propose to form a political party composed of all organized labor, they embark on an undertaking which experience and reason have pronounced futile. No party composed of one class of citizens has ever been effective in this republic, and so long as the republic remains a government of the people for the people no such party will ever have more than a most temporary and ineffectual existence. The various organizations of farmers have shown how far class parties can go. They have been as

Brief as the lightning in the collied night,
That in a spleen unfolds both heaven and earth,
And ere a man hath power to say "Behold!"
The jaws of darkness do devour it up.

Such parties are always born of spleen. The shadow of some real or fancied wrong, or some dream of ambition or power, starts them into life. They strut and fret their brief hour up on the political stage and then dissolve into their individual elements. They create much confusion and noise while they live, but we are unaware of any really useful purpose ever having beeh accomplished by a class party.

The ballot in the hands of the workingman is potent to remedy wrongs and protect rights, but ballots cast for a workingman's party will always be ballots thrown away. The government of this country will never be intrusted to the care of any one class of its citizens, and no class should be more jealous of this principle than that now proposing to form the labor party.

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LOCAL NEWS.

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PARLOR suits, $13 to $200 at Tay's factory. july31-d2w

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THE First Presbyterian church at Springfield yesterday was damaged $4,000 by fire. The large pipe organ, worth $2,400, was ruined by water. Fully insured.

LADIES $3.00 Tan Shoes for $1.50 at Freeman Bros., 114 Merchant street. july30d1w

GO TO Henry Bros.' bakery for all kinds of cakes, pies, etc. sept26-dtf

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THE Stare property on East Cerro Gordo street, frontage 160 feet, has been sold to F. B. Tait for $12,000. Mr. Tait now owns all of the block, from Franklin street east to Jackson.

THE city meat market, 241 North Park street, is where you want to buy your meats to assure something good in every respect. If you can't call at the shop ring up telephone 171.

THE Buyers' and Merchants' Benefit Bureau saves you 4 per cent on your entire living expenses. Call upon the manager L. Chodat and learn how. dec16-dtf

ELDER H. M. BROOKS, who debated the prohibition question at the camp with Manager Smith, is the Populist candidate for congress in the Paris district against Wood and Fithian.

THE stores of John Howell, F. M. McCartney, W. L. T. Meacham and F. B. Sells at Bethany were entered by burglars Thursday night. Thirty dollars in cash, 500 pounds of flour, cigars, cutlery, silverware and watches were stolen.

JAMES BRUMMELL, the well-known restaurant man, has abandoned his Franklin street location and is now at home at 147 South Water street. Mr. Brummell has one of the best arranged places in Central Illinois. Everything about the house is as neat and clean as the proverbial new pin.

THE program for the Seventh annual exposition of the Macon Agricultural Association has been issued. The fair will be held at Macon September 4 to 7 inclusive, and "competition is open to the world." R. H. Woolcock is the president, Elijah Walker vice president, W. H. Willoughby secretary, and H. R. Woodcock treasurer. The other officials are E. T. Willoughby, William Johnson, W. Patterson, Isaac Peeper, J. A. Armstrong, Frank Hoover and D. P. Keller.

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THIS interesting item appeared in the write-up the *News* gave the Mexican War Veterans' meeting held at Sullivan this week: "One member, Joseph Lewis, of Decatur, served through three wars without a scratch—the Black Hawk, the Mexican and the last rebellion. He is 84 years of age, but is as sprightly and chipper as a young man of 20. His father was killed at the age of 99 by the Indians, and he has an uncle living in Kansas who is 129 years old."

ON THE DIAMOND.

The Opening Game at the New Athletic Park.

Yesterday was played the opening game of base ball at the Decatur Athletic association's new grounds, and there were over 300 people in attendance—a splendid showing for the first day. The day and the diamond were both in excellent shape for the opener, which was a nine-inning set-to between the Y. M. C. A. and first Calumet nines. The game was promptly called at 4:30 by Umpire Baldwin Starr. Then followed a splendid game. The Y. M. C. A. had borrowed a battery, and the Calumets a pitcher. The difficulty was that the Calumets could not make connections with the curves of Winegardner, while Vest of the Calumets had been overworked and was in no shape to pitch the game.

Y. M. C. A.	R	B	P	A	E
Becker, s. s.	2	1	1	4	1
Snyder, 2d b.	2	0	4	0	1
Conn, 3d b.	2	3	0	1	0
Williams, rf	0	1	0	0	1
Dixon, 1b	1	1	11	0	1
Winegardner, p	1	0	1	12	0
Kitchen, c.	2	1	8	1	0
Auer, c. f.	0	2	2	0	0
Frazee, l. f.	0	0	0	0	1
Spalding, r. f.	1	1	0	0	0
Total	11	10	27	18	4

CALUMETS	R	B	P	A	E
Gates, 3b.	1	0	4	2	1
Vest, p.	1	1	0	0	2
Truax, ss	0	0	1	4	1
Walton, cf.	1	1	0	0	0
Schroll, 2b.	0	1	0	2	1
Hubbard, rf.	0	0	2	0	0
Patterson, c.	0	0	6	2	0
Hays, 1b	1	2	13	0	2
Somerville, lf	0	1	1	0	3
Total	4	6	27	20	10

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Y. M. C. A's	3	3	2	0	1	0	0	2	0	—11
CALUMETS	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	—4

Earned runs—Y. M. C. A., 3; Calumet, 2. Two base hits, Becker. Stolen bases—Y. M. C. A., 10; Calumets, 3. Base on called balls—Off Winegardner, 3; off Vest, 4. Hit by ball Dixon and Vest. Struck out by Winegardner, 6; Vest, 6. Pass balls—Patterson 1. Wild pitches—Conn, 2; Vest, 1 Time of game—1:50. Umpire—Baldwin Starr.

Prof. Roche.

Prof. Roche, the hypnotist, had an immense house at the Grand last night. The audience was a high-toned one in every respect and included nearly all the physicians and lawyers in town. The professor made a short talk and then called for volunteers to go on the stage and act as possible subjects. People were slow in responding, but finally Mayor Smith, City Engineer Butler, W. P. Balles, Col. D. C. Smith and two dozen others were collected in the semi-circle of chairs arranged around the stage. The professor made a short test to ascertain their susceptibility and finally picked out Mr. Bolles, whose mind he so controlled that he could not say his own name. One or two others were put through laughable tricks.

The breaking of a huge piece of marble on the breast of a boy was an eye-opener. The boy was hypnotized and stretched across the backs of two chairs. Six men lifted the stone onto him and Mr. Howard Humphrey wielded a big sledge hammer until the stone broke in three pieces. Prof. Roche remains all of this week at the Grand.—*Bloomington Pantagraph.*

The Professor will begin his engagement at the Grand August 9th, and will give hypnotic illustrations nine nights.

Found the Body.

The body of John Toboski, aged 24, half brother of Herman Kunnet, drowned at the water works dam Friday afternoon, was found last evening, and the inquest was held at the Brintlinger undertaking rooms under the direction of Coroner Bendure. The jurymen were George W. Lehman, H. C. Wallace, A. O. Bolen, J. L. Williams, W. T. Keck, and John Welch. They brought in a verdict of accidental drowning. Toboski came over from Germany three weeks ago and had intended to go to work Monday in the coal mine. He was unmarried and made his home with his half brother at 1445 East Orchard street.

How a Democrat Lost $480.

A man named Bruce living near Gays reported that he had threshed 600 bushels of wheat from twelve acres of ground. This was disputed, and a committee of disinterested citizens measured the wheat and found the quantity correct. The ground was then measured, and found to contain 11¾ acres. This made the yield about 51 bushels to the acre. Had the Democrats kept their word with Mr. Bruce he would have received $750 for his wheat, but as it was it brought only $270, a loss of $480.—*Sullivan News.*

A Mock Trial.

The Legal Club had a mock trial at the regular meeting held last night. A member was accused of burglary and larceny. He was vigorously prosecuted before the acting justice, J. T. Whitley, by W. W. Shelley and W. N. Andrews, and Robert I. Hunt and F. E. Bunn and A. E. Park appeared for the defense. At the conclusion of the trial, which was swift and hot, the prisoner was held to answer and was released on giving a bond in the sum of $500, Soc funds.

Church Conference.

A red letter week for the Free Methodist church will be the Central Illinois conference, which will convene in this city, September 19th, to continue one week; there will be over two hundred preachers and members present.

Ball Game.

The J. D. Moore and Y. M. C. A. clubs will play a match game of ball Tuesday, August 7th, at the Athletic Park. Admission 15 cents.

THE Bloomington Loan association, now in the courts, has made several big loans in Decatur, and two more abstracts for big amounts were made out this week, one going up last night.

How it Paid Out.

In the county court yesterday William C. Pluck, assignee of Conklin and Housum, filed his report and the court issued an order for the distribution of the proceeds of sale to the creditors. The total proceeds of the sale of stock, fixtures, etc., was $1,419.27. They were sold at retail, the assignee deeming that most advantageous, as the highest bid for the stock in bulk was $552. Claims will be paid pro rata at the rate of 49¼ cents on the dollar. The following claims were filed:

	Claim.	Pro rata.
Shellabarger Mill Co.	$ 16.00	$ 7.87
Herald-Despatch	58.76	28.39
Decatur G. L. & C. Co	2.20	1.00
Abel Carpet Co	3.48	1.48
Roberts & Green	65.00	37.02
Review Publishing Co.	34.35	17.02
E. J. Harpstrite	25.00	12.32
H. W. Hill & Co.	12.34	6.08
Hamsher & Calhoun	50.00	27.91
Decatur L. M. Co.	11.55	5.69
Nat. Wall Paper Co.	977.10	481.22
Grout & Co.	15.26	7.52
Linn & Scruggs	6.68	3.29
Total	$1,278.86	$630.25

In Trouble.

The auditor of public accounts at Springfield yesterday instructed Attorney General Maloney to at once commence legal proceedings against the Illinois Building and Loan Association, a national concern with headquarters at Bloomington, which has been found short $85,000. The association claims to have assets of $970,850 and liabilities of $700,265. Investigation, however, showed their assets to be $734,153, and liabilities $816,725. The officers claim their Chicago agent made 40 per cent on all money loaned, and robbed the association of thousands of dollars. The concern was organized in 1889. The suit will cause a sensation. Many Decatur people are interested in the Bloomington concern, and they will watch with interest the progress of the suit.

At 9:45 Sunday Morning.

It is generally known that for some time past the matter of changing the Sunday school hour of the First M. E. church has been under consideration by the officers and teachers of that school. The only obstacle in the way of holding the Sunday school in the morning was that class meetings were held at that hour. It has been arranged, however, that the class meetings shall be held from 8:45 to 9:30, dismissing promptly. Sunday school will open at 9:45, and the morning church service at 10:45. Last Sunday morning Rev. D. F. Howe announced the changes made. All members of the church and school will please bear these changes in mind, and be at Sunday school to-morrow morning at 9:45 prompt.

TUSCOLA *Review*: "Quite a number of Decatur sports came over Tuesday to see Brenneman Bros'. superb mare, Effie Powers, go in the free-for-all pace, but were somewhat disappointed. Effie had the misfortune to collide with John R, at the start, and her "bike" was badly damaged. She was allowed a position in the following heats, but the accident appeared to have left her in bad form. In the fifth heat, however, she paced Bourbon Patchen a neck to neck race, and made the winner show his metal. It was the prettiest race of the day."

THERE was some difficulty at the water works dam yesterday afternoon in getting some one to search for the body of John Toboski, who was drowned. The half brother was on the bank, but he would not offer a dollar to anybody for the recovery of the body. He said he had no money. Finally outsiders offered some cash to have the body brought up, and quite a number of young men engaged in the search.

ORGANIZER KELLAR, the paid boomer for Debs and the A. R. U. will have to toe the mark for conspiracy at Danville. He has been arrested at Chicago and taken to Danville. Kellar is the man who tried to stir up trouble in Decatur, after the back bone of the strike had been broken. While at Danville he wrote out a string of boycott resolutions against a number of the merchants, and now the dealers are after Kellar.

LAST night at their lodge room in the Famous block, Faithful lodge, I. O. G. T., elected delegates to the district lodge to be held at Danville August 21-2. The nine delegates were Mrs. Clara Wickens, J. B. Pierce, A. B. Collins, Will Mackey, Will Ruckle, B. F. Mills, Ora Crane, E. Lenfield and Miss Anna Law. The lodge decided to recommend George Wickens for lodge deputy.

Wanted—Horses.

We want some good driving horses in exchange for city property. Want two or three matched teams. Also want work horses of all sizes and ages. Will take same in trade for fine vacant lots or improved property. Apply to W. Z. Walmsley, real estate agent, over Cheap Charley's store. 26daw2w

THE St. Louis Exposition will open September 5th and close October 20th. Sousa's concert band will play each day four times. Last year during the World's Fair the Exposition management cleared nearly $25,000.

UNION religious services will be held at the Baptist church Sunday evening. Preaching by Rev. J. A. F. King of the U. B. church. Everybody is invited to be present.

WALTER HUTCHIN will have an elegant swell front for his shoe store when the painters get through putting the finishing touches to it.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder
World's Fair Highest Award.

A RINGING SPEECH.

Major Connolly's Pointed Speech Delivered at the Senatorial Convention.

Major J. A. Connolly, the Republican nominee for congress in this district, made many friends while in Decatur Friday. He spent several hours at the REPUBLICAN office where scores of citizens called to make his acquaintance. He was at the Republican Senatorial convention, and was called out for a speech. He was received with enthusiasm, and as he progressed he was frequently applauded. He said.

This country has never seen a time since the days of 1861 when it needed the Republican party so much as now. The danger which then confronted us was open to the world. We knew where to find it. The dangers which confront the nation to-day are secret and hidden and are corrupting the foundation principles of the government. New ideas have been brought to us from Europe which are new to those established here. They are forcing and corrupting by their influence a large class of the people. There is the idea that the state owes every man a living. Many persons believe this. Thirty years ago no man would have proclaimed this idea and expected to be believed. The old doctrine was that a man should be protected in his life, liberty and property. The world was his in which to work and accumulate property and the government guaranteed him protection. The new doctrine has spread more than we think. It has been openly proclaimed by bodies of men marching through the country that the state owed them a living. We are led to ask what has become of our Americanism that which characterized the days of '60, when men depended upon their own strong right arm. There is more than party success at stake in the campaign. The moths eating at the foundation principles of our government must be driven out. We must go back to the idea which led men to brave the dangers of the west, drive back the wolves and build themselves homes. We must go back to the idea of industry, economy and individual thrift. These ideas are worth more than any party triumph. We should remember in our defeat that the flag of the Republican party is the flag of the people. We must show to the Democrats that they can touch elbows with us and help maintain the Americanism of the country as it was taught by our fathers. We must invite them to our ranks, point out the strife, show to them the unholy speculation of their representatives in congress and restore our congressional and state governments to the full confidence of the people. As a Republican party with a history that includes such names as Abraham Lincoln, U. S. Grant, John A. Logan and others, we can't expect to be placed in power. It remains for us to show that we are worthy. We must meet the issues of the day. It is not a mere fight between Democrats and Republicans; there is a duty for Republicans to perform now as much as there was in 1861. They must lift up and replace the country to something like it was. We must persuade the Democrats to join in this work. There are patriotic men in that party just the same as there are in the Republican party. The industries of the country have become paralyzed, and there is a disregard for the law because the people have no faith in the lawmakers. Republicans by good government must restore the confidence of the people and the respect for the law. I know Moultrie county well. Its people have twice honored me. Moultrie and Christian counties form a part of district which I believe I will represent. Until the polls close in November I shall use every honorable and honest means to take the place of Wm. M. Springer, of Washington, D. C. He stands there forgetting the plain people of his district after twenty years as their representative. He stands before the president bowing down and forgetting the people to secure a few paltry offices. The people are greater than any president. Whether they please or displease him they are superior. If the house of representatives had followed this principle congress would have adjourned long ago and much of their devilry would have been left undone. We want to restore this old fashioned idea of the power of the people. Let the representatives look to them and not to the dictation of any caucus, trust or ring. Let the representative look to the people who sent him to congress. So long as Cleveland is president I don't want any Republican to ask me to recommend him for an office. I won't do it. If the Democrats want an office and will agree upon a man who is moral and worthy of the place I'll recommend him. That's my theory. I believe that as long as the Democrats are in control of the different branches of the government we should let them control it. The appointive offices should be in harmony with the head of the government. I resigned my office as United States district attorney on that theory because I felt that the place should be filled by a man who was in sympathy with the administration. I am glad I did so because none of the sins of the administration are upon my hands or stain my skirts in any way. If the Democrats come and help us put back the government to where it was two years ago, you will never hear of another Democratic convention such as that which met at Chicago and declared that "a tariff is unconstitutional." They will do just as they always do—follow in the footsteps of the Republicans. They have done it and are doing it now. They adopted Reed's rules in order to accomplish the little they have and in their tariff bill they have embodied many of McKinley's ideas. When another congress meets they will be ready to say they were wrong, and that we are right just as they have done before and will be ready to help take the country from the rocks and restore the old time prosperity.

M. EICHENGREE is making improvements at his residence property at the corner of Marietta and Edward streets. A new walk has been laid from the front of the dwelling leading to the front of the lot.

THE Rev. Robert Watt of Carbondale will occupy the pulpit at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning. No evening service.

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A STINGING LETTER.

Department Commander Watrous' Reply to Kearney Post.

MILWAUKEE, Aug. 4.—Department Commander Watrous of the G. A. R. has written a stinging letter in reply to the action of Kearney Post, G. A. R., of Richmond, Va., in denouncing him as the "shameful author of brazen falsehoods, who in violation of all sense of honor among comrades has ignored the truths set forth in their reply, and persists in repeating the flagrant falsehoods." The Richmond post's action is the result of charges of misappropriation of funds which had been sent to the post for decorating the graves of federal soldiers.

Col. Watrous says that he wants to have the matter taken before the national encampment for investigation. He says his action has been indorsed by the commander-in-chief, the past commander-in-chief and all the department commanders of the north.

A GUILTY WOMAN

Caught in Flagrante Delicto Blows the Top of Her Husband's Head Off.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Aug. 4.—Report comes from Collierville, a town a few miles from Memphis, of the killing of Ed Bernard, a negro, by his wife and her paramour, whom he had found in flagrante delictu. The murderers gave out the report that Bernard had committed suicide, but on the inquest, while undergoing examination, the woman confessed her share in the crime and implicated her paramour. The killing was done before daylight yesterday morning.

Bernard had for some time suspected his wife, and absented himself from home Thursday night in order to verify his suspicions. When he came upon the guilty couple the woman jumped out of bed, seized a shotgun and blew the top of her husband's head off.

Died Suddenly.

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—J. B. Mansur, a rich real estate dealer of Indianapolis, died suddenly Thursday night at the Emergency hospital of appendicitis after an operation had been performed. He arrived at the Auditorium hotel last Wednesday, accompanied by his wife, intending to go to Mackinaw islands. The body was removed to his late home yesterday afternoon.

Farmer City in Flames—Aid Refused.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Aug. 4.—Farmer City, DeWitt county, is in flames, and wires Bloomington for aid. Bloomington cannot aid, fearing outbreak of fire here.

French Spies Arrested.

GENOA, Aug. 4.—A Frenchman was arrested as a spy just this side of the French frontier yesterday. He had with him plans of all the Italian Alpine forts. Another Frenchman was arrested in Lombardy for suspicious behavior during the maneuvers.

Tax-Dodgers' Threat.

MILWAUKEE, Aug. 4.—Owners of twenty-five vessels, worth $3,000,000, threaten to leave Milwaukee because Tax Collector Brown has this year interrupted their long and successful career of tax-dodging. If the fleet is transferred, which is not probable for many good reasons, it is likely to go to Erie or Buffalo, N. Y.

MRS. T. S. HAWKINS, Chattanooga, Tenn., says, *"Shiloh's Vitalizer 'SAVED MY LIFE.' I consider it the best remedy for a debilitated system I ever used."* For Dyspepsia, Liver or Kidney trouble it excels. Price, 75c. Guaranteed by C. H. Dawson. d&w

BRET HARTE is said to be the most popular American author in France, while, on the other hand, Mr. Howells is not generally liked.

ALL the talk in the world will not convince you so quickly as one trial of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve for Scalds, Burns, Bruises, Skin Affections and Piles. C. H. Dawson.

THE mother of Bret Harte was a handsome factory girl. Her husband educated her and she became one of the most cultured women in Detroit.

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GOLDWIN SMITH is said to have in hand a criticism of W. T. Stead's book, "If Christ Came to Chicago," which will be issued soon in one of the English reviews.

WAR clouds are quite prevalent at present, and let it be remembered with gratitude that Calve and Eames will not sing in the same opera company next season.

AN esteemed contemporary asserts that Ella Wheeler Wilcox is 49 years of age. This is carrying poetic license too far.

JAMES J. CORBETT has returned to this country on the Majestic, accompanied, as usual, by two famous dukes.

LAST year Australia produced gold to the value of $5,000,000 in excess of any other country.

IT is said that all the grandsons of Charles Dickens bear the name of Charles.

WILL CLOSE SUNDAY NIGHT.

Helen M. Gougar, W. T. Mills and Dr. Kellogg to Speak.

The Prohibition camp-meeting will close at Oakland park Sunday night and during the day all of the railroads will bring excursion parties to the city. Friday afternoon Dr. Kellogg and W. T. Mills discussed the money question and both orators attacked the old political parties, Mills being quite severe on the Republicans. At night Mr. Mills gave full vent to his opinion claiming that legislatures are corrupt and that politically there is no honesty anywhere.

There was an interesting meeting of the children this morning, with addresses by Col. Holt, Mr. Mills, Miss R. Nellie Smith and others. James Charnock gave a recitation. Prof. Jeffers, Prof. VanDeMark and Miss Hawkins gave a trio. The children extended a rising vote of thanks to Mr. Holt.

At the 11 o'clock free parliament "Tariff Commission" was the subject. Walter T. Mills led the talk, in which he explained the advantages claimed for the commission. That a committee of experts, with authority to require the presentation of books and figures from manufacturers would save time and do the work of preparing a schedule better than it can be done by congress, and at the same time take tariff out of politics, as the leading question. He claimed that such an idea was put in force to some extent during Mr. Arthur's administration. Dr. Kellogg and others added some suggestions.

Mr. Mills and others will speak this afternoon and Mrs. Helen Gougar tonight. There will be a song service at 7:30.

The program for to-morrow will include a song service at 10:30 with special solos by Miss Hawkins and Prof. Van Demark. Sermon at 11 by Dr. Kellogg. Address at 2 p. m. by Mrs. Helen M. Gougar. At 3 p. m. by Dr. W. M. Kellogg. At 8 p. m. Walter T. Mills. Special music all day.

FT. DEFIANCE.

Preparations to Celebrate 100th Anniversary of Mad Anthony Wayne's Defeat of the Miami Confederacy.

M. Stutzenberger of this city was at Defiance, Ohio, yesterday and was much interested in the preparations to celebrate the centennial of the defeat of the Miami Indian confederacy at the confluence of the AuGlaize and Maumee rivers near Defiance, O. The celebration will take place next Monday and great preparations have been made to have one of the greatest gatherings ever in Ohio. What interested Mr. Stutzenberger most was the reproduction of the fort known as Fort Defiance, built by Gen. Wayne in his campaign against the Indians. The logs are the same kind, fashioned the same as the old logs with the same kind of a slab roof. It is the same dimensions and stands on the same ground as the old fort and its baricades. Mr. S. and his wife are from Ohio and from old families in that state and are of course interested in Ohio affairs of this kind. Mrs. Stutzenberger's great great grandmother once entertained General La Fayettee.

The Girl of the Period.

It is the aim of the society girl nowadays to be as straight as an ash and a supple as a willow. Boxing is one of the new ways of accomplishing this desired result. Punching an inflated rubber bag is another pet exercise, and the mode of procedure is something like this: The bag must be hung in such a manner as to rebound almost instantly after being struck. It should be set in motion and then hit when it is receding, not when it is approaching. The face should be kept toward the bag and the blows should be from the shoulder. The right kind of a bag is of the same shape and three or four times the size of a Rugby football. It is inflated with air and secured to the ground and ceiling by rubber bands.

The Latest in Coffee Cups.

A unique set of after-dinner coffee cups was on exhibition at one of the leading dealers last week. It was entirely of silver—cups, saucers, spoons. Some are enameled, some are chased, some are inlaid, but no two are alike, and a spoon matches each one. What the cost is was not ascertained, but that matters little, if at all. The cups are really superb, and, as stated before, are unique. Similar sets may come to be made, but this is the first that has been seen this year.

Novelty in Curtains.

Lace insertion set in the middle of the silk curtain is one of the new things in vestibule curtains, and is really very charming. The habit of tying the silk so as to form a double fan, and that of painting it in the center, are both bad and give a fantastic look to the door, yet one solid curtain often leaves the hallway dark. This four or five inch strip of handsome, heavy lace admits additional light and adds to the beauty as well.

At Cost.

On Monday, July 23, I will place on sale all of my stamped linen and tinted goods at cost. Come and get a bargain. E. Williams, 205 South Park street. 4d6

FLAMES AT FARMER CITY.

Large Part of the Business Portion of the Town Destroyed—Flames Subdued at 2 O'clock This Morning.

A big fire broke out in Farmer City, DeWitt county at 10 o'clock last night. There were no means for fighting fires, except buckets, with a limited amount of water, and the flames spread rapidly from one building to another. During the progress of the fire Bloomington was asked to send an engine, but that city on account of a fire late yesterday and trouble with the water works, it could not respond and the fire continued until 2 o'clock this morning before the citizens mastered it.

The fire originated in Farmer's livery stable and extended to and consumed the following buildings: M. L. Weedman's butcher shop, a brick building worth $1,500; George W. Chisholm's grocery store, worth $5,000; F. P. White's saloon, worth $4,000; the Commercial hotel, including Weedman's bank, worth $10,000; John Haffner's barber shop, worth $800; Gould & Young's brick building, worth $20,000, and a stock of goods owned by A. M. Wand, worth $30,000, the *Journal* printing office, worth $30,000, and several other buildings. The furniture in the Commercial hotel was a total loss, and many of the guests barely escaped in their night robes. Several tanks of gasoline exploded with a terrific crash during the progress of the fire.

ANOTHER CÆSAR.

The Hot Month of August and a Little Story About its Name.

August, now fairly upon us, is like July in at least one respect. It gets its name from the Roman Cæsars, the great Emperor Augustus, following in the footsteps of his illustrious predecessor, having appropriated a month to himself. It was formerly called Sextilis, or the sixth month, from the winter solstice, and when Julius Cæsar changed the calendar it still continued as Sextillis, and had thirty days, while February had twenty-nine and in leap year thirty days. To gratify the vanity of Augustus, the Roman senate, which was obsequious enough to have gratified the wish of the most fawning of modern politicians, took one day off February and added it to Sextillis, so that its dignity would at least be equal to that of the month named for Julius Cæsar, and then they changed the name to August in honor of Cæsar Augustus, and so the matter has stood. There is no public demand for a restoration of the old status, and if any change is ever made it will probably be in the way of taking a little of the extra heat out of the month and putting a letter "r" in the spelling, so that the oyster-eating season may begin earlier.

Sales of Real Estate.

David Sanders to F. M. Ralston, the south half of the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter 32, 6, 3—$100.

Sexton E. Smith to Burton B. Tuttle, lot 30 in the east half of the southwest quarter of 9, 12, 2 east, containing 20 acres—$5,600.

Henry A. Wood to Albert T. Summers, lot 9 in block 1 in West Park addition to Decatur—$350.

Samuel C. McKay to Hiram B. Morse, trustee, the west half of the southeast quarter of 8; also all of the northeast quarter of 17, north of the river, except seven acres, all in 17, 4 east—$6,000.

David S. Shellabarger to C. P. Friis and John Grass, Jr., lot 15 in block 2 of Wait & Co.'s addition to Decatur—$2,000.

Lafayette H. Shelley to Jane E. Hardy, deed to lot 34, block 2, North Park addition—$600.

George Wree et al. to M. E. Lockhart, deed to east half lot 3 in Jesse Lockhart's subdivision, Niantic—$1,400.

H. A. Wood to Jane E. Hardy, deed to lot 17, block 4, Wood's West Park addition—$600.

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We have plenty of money to loan, in large or small amounts, on all classes of security—chattels, real estate, collateral notes or individual security. Money advanced on furniture, live stock, second mortgages on real estate, cattle, hogs and growing crops; also on watches, diamonds, jewelry and loan association stock. Apply to Albert T. Summers loan broker and private banker, 147 North Water street, over Abel's carpet store. 26-d&w2w

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Are you Bilious, Constipated or troubled with Jaundice, Sick Headache, Bad Taste in Mouth, Foul Breath, Coated Tongue, Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Hot Dry Skin, Pain in Back and between the Shoulders, Chills and Fever, &c. If you have any of these symptoms, your Liver is out of order, and your blood is slowly being poisoned, because your Liver does not act properly. HERBINE will cure any disorder of the Liver, Stomach or Bowels. It has no equal as a Liver Medicine. Price, 75 cents. Free trial bottles at Dawson's drug store.

THERE died in Nice a few days ago Michael Gambetta, an uncle of the statesman Gambetta. He was 90 years old. His death is said to have been due to the too sudden announcement of the murder of President Carnot. With him the famous name is said to have died out.

Our Grandmothers' Way

was to steep roots and herbs and use it every night. We can do the same by using Parks' Tea. Nothing acts as promptly and without discomfort. Not a pill or cathartic, but moves the bowels every day. Sold by W. F. Neisler.

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75 Remnants Ginghams 5c
100 Remnants White India Linen 9c
300 Remnants Figured Persian Lawn 4⅞
88 Remnants Linen Crash 4⅞
400 Remnants American Indigo and Dress Prints 4⅞
1,000 Remnants of Fancy and Plain Dress Goods 25c
75 Remnants Figured China Silk 19c
1,000 Remnants Embroidery .... 2 and 8c
700 Remnants of Ribbons and Laces 5c
Children's Extra Fine Lawn and Mull Hats worth $2.00 .... 98c
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275 Extra Fine Ladies' Waists $1.00

Misses' and Children's White Lawn and Gingham Ready Made Dresses at reduced prices.

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NAMES FOR GOWNS.

Rich Women Have So Many That They Have to Label Them.

Distinctive names for one's gowns is not exactly a fad yet, but may become one, and has certainly more to commend it than many of the fads of the day. You see, it simplifies directions and explanations vastly when you have only to say to your maid: "See that the 'Scotch Mist' is ready for me to wear to-morrow evening; and don't forget to put a fresh balayeuse in my 'Heliotrope Symphony,' for I shall wear it to Miss C.'s wedding on Thursday." If you are devoted to one color, as many women are it saves such an expenditure of words to thus designate your different toilets, which are otherwise hard to distinguish. One woman who wears black entirely has an "Accordion Raven," a "Kohl Rabe" and an "Ethiopia." A long-haired camel's hair gown is called "The Hairy Ainu;" a luxurious fur-trimmed carriage gown is "The Ma ar;" two yachting gowns are distinguished from one another as "The Marine" and "The Flying Dutchman;" and a very elaborate creation for garden fetes is appropriately named "Fuss and Feathers." Poetical as well as humorous fancies have a safe outlet here, and the maid is greatly assisted in her labors. A filmy, billowy white evening gown of plaited tulle over satin suggests a "Snowdrift;" an indescribable one of pale blue spangled crepe, "A Summer Night," while a trig tailor gown is "Spick and Span."—Demorest's

In Putting Down Carpets.

When putting down carpets in rooms that are much used it is a good plan to spread newspapers over the floors, then take clean straw and scatter it evenly over the papers, and then put your carpets down. It will let the dust through on the paper, and clouds of dust will not follow the broom on sweeping day. The carpet will last longer with this lining than with any other, and when you take them up you will find the dust lodged on the paper, and if carefully removed to the rubbish pile, you will avoid filling your lungs with poisonous dust, as but little will be found on sweeping the floors. In putting down carpets in sparerooms, where they are not likely to be taken up very often, it is an excellent plan to scatter smoking tobacco over the paper to guard against moths and the buffalo bug. This is a sure preventive against the attacks of moths, and carpets may be safely left down in sparerooms for a number of years.—Chicago News.

AT Milledgeville, Ga., on July 26, a monument will be unveiled to the memory of Brigadier-General George Dole of the Army of Northern Virginia. He was killed at the battle of Cold Harbor, Va., July 2, 1864, after making a brilliant record as a commander.

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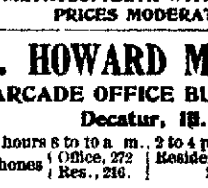

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A report ... Canada, that ... of buffalo still a... part of that ... buffalo, but ... all appearanc... which at one ... on our western ... more than 200 ... the Indians in th... this season. Th... their hides. ... these won't b... from" now ... The Indians ... given up hope ... Last winter th... was unusual ... n...ls were ... of food and ... India...

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—"Hand-raised" canary birds, as the little ones are called which are brought up from the egg, make the best singers. It takes something less than eight months before the birds get their singing voice, and when taught a trick or two they sell readily at from $10 to $20. Campanini birds, as the best singers are called, bring fancy sums.

—That pretty word casset, for pet lamb, often applied in tenderness to little children, has its rural American equivalent in the phrase "caed lamb," which is said to be a short term for "cared for" lamb. The term caed lamb is heard in New England, though perhaps less than formerly, and is eloquent of the time when a flock of sheep was to be found on every Yankee farm.

—The microbe of the "grip," otherwise the "influenza bacillus," was discovered by Dr. Canon, of Vienna, who first detected it in the blood of one of his patients. It is a curiously shaped organism, many times smaller than the microbe of any other known germ disease, and was only revealed to the human eye by using a microscope with a magnifying power of over 1,000 diameters.

—An egg expands, when it is frozen, so much that the increased bulk breaks the shell. Apples, on the contrary, contract to such an extent that a full barrel will shrink until the top layer will be a foot below the chime. When the frost has been slowly and carefully drawn out they again assume their normal size and appearance. Apples can be transported when the mercury is 20 degrees below zero.

—The following mysterious advertisement appeared recently in a London paper. "Gentleman, 26, respectable appearance and religious inclinations, wishes to marry under phrenological principles, and invites correspondence from any lady having the same desire." How do you marry under phrenological principles? Do you both have your bumps felt, and then compare notes to see that there is no "incompatibilities of temper?"

—Club life in Chicago is a surprise to a visiting New Yorker. Many of the Chicago clubs are almost deserted at night, many are chiefly luncheon clubs, and nearly all are adjuncts to the members' places of business. There is a so-called millionaire's table at the Chicago club, and great business deals are arranged around the board. Some Chicagoans regard membership in the Chicago club as secondary in business importance only to a seat in the board of trade.

—Beetles are uncommonly large and plentiful in Mexico. The Mexican ladies take advantage of this fact as a means of amusement when lacking a more profitable one. Having obtained a suitable specimen, the unemployed fair one, without consulting the beetle, industriously embroiders its back and wings with colored silks and having stitched into it a "coat of many colors," attaches a very minute chain to it and keeps it in a box, tending and feeding it daily as an American woman does a canary. The work is usually very dainty and artistic, though probably the beetle does not think so.

—A report comes from Winnipeg, Canada, that there are great numbers of buffalo still alive in the northwestern part of that country. They are wood buffalo, but it is said that they are to all appearances the same as the animals which at one time were so numerous on our western plains. It is said that more than 200 of them were killed by the Indians in the Slave Lake district this season. They are slaughtered for their hides. The question, where did these wood buffalo so suddenly come from? now naturally suggests itself. The Indians and traders have long ago given up hope of ever seeing any again. Last winter the weather in this section was unusually severe and thus the animals were driven southward in search of food and wandered into the track of Indians.

POINTS IN JELLY MAKING.

If Carefully Observed Will Result in Success.

When making currant jelly, select freshly gathered currants which are not over-ripe; mash and squeeze them through a jelly bag. Put the juice into a porcelain-lined kettle and stand over a brisk fire; let boil for twenty minutes; add a pound of sugar for every pint of juice, and stir until it dissolves. Skim; bring to a boil; take from the fire; put in glasses and stand aside to jelly. A little of the liquid can be tried in a glass before taking up, and if it does not jelly it may be boiled a few minutes longer. A clear, lighter-colored jelly can be made by using white and red currants. To make English currant jelly, take ripe currants; do not pick from the stems; weigh and allow half a pound of sugar to every pound of currants. Put the fruit into a preserve kettle; mash and stir over the fire for twenty-five minutes. Take up; strain through a flannel bag. Wash the kettle, put the juice in it, let come to a boil and add the sugar; stir until dissolved; take from the fire; pour in glasses; let cool and cover.

Gooseberry jelly is made by picking over carefully half a gallon of ripe, sound gooseberries. Put in a preserve kettle with a pint of water and boil for ten minutes; mash and squeeze through a jelly bag. Measure the juice; return to the kettle and add a pound of sugar for each pint of juice; boil rapidly until it jellies. Take from the fire; put in jelly glasses and cover when cool.—Ladies' Home Journal.

A Frank Child.

Teacher—What would you say to Charlie if he should give you the only apple he had when he wanted it very much for himself?

Tommy (with emphasis)—I'd say he was a chump!—Chicago Record.

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WANTED—Everybody to know and be convinced that the REPUBLICAN want column is the proper means through which to have that "want" satisfied. apr16-dtf

WANTED—Ladies or gentlemen to try the good board offered at 227 South Main for $3.50 per week, with good, well-furnished rooms. july9-dtf

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FOR SALE—The effects of the man who refused to advertise in the "For Sale" column of this paper. He lacked good business sense and now he's busted

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FOR RENT—Tents and camping outfits generally for camping parties at very reasonable rates. Apparatus and appointments the best. W. D. Chamberlain & Co., Library block. 27-d2w

FOR RENT—A neat cottage on St. Louis avenue. For terms, etc., call on A. J. Dresbach, at Young & Dresbach's meat market, North Park street. June 19-dtf

FOR RENT—Splendid rooms for offices, also fine rooms for light housekeeping or lodging. All conveniences and modern improvements. Rent reasonable in the new Wingate block. Apply at Wingate's store; 328 North Water street. 1-d2w

FOR RENT—A house of 8 rooms, at 1131 East Marietta street. Enquire of W. Z. Walmsly, 152 E. Main. Telephone 352. june16-dtf

FOR RENT—A four-room house on the corner of E. Marietta and N. Woodford. Enquire of W. Z. Walmsly, 152 East Main. Telephone 352. june16-dtf

FOR RENT—Space in this column, which all good people are invited to inspect. The small investment is better than preferred stock in a gold mine. Ladies and gentlemen who patronize this column may in time wear diamonds. tf

FOR RENT—A house of six rooms with all improvements at 536 North Edward street. Call on M. Stutzenberger at 450 North College. 23-dtf

REAL ESTATE CHANCES.

MORE NEST EGGS—Two handsome corner lots on Decatur street, very cheap, easy terms; one inside lot $600, same street, south front and very deep.

Six nice lots on North Union street for $1,500—long time.

Four nice lots on North Church street, $1,400, all east front.

I also have a few nice homes in different parts of the city, very cheap; 4, 5 and 6 room dwellings.

If you have any property for sale or exchange it will pay you to call and see me. Peter Brueck, Real Estate Broker, 249 N. Main street. June27-dtf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—A modern seven room house in every particular. Centrally located.

Two modern eight room houses on North Water street

A good four room house on Mason street.

A house of six rooms, barn, furnace, well and cistern; 80 feet frontage on North Clinton street.

A six room house on North Monroe street.

A seven room house, well, cistern and gas on Central avenue.

A five room house on East William street.

A four room house on North Main street.

Properties for sale or trade in all parts of the city. Call and see me. Chas. T. Haigh, 152 East Main street. 27-dtf

WANTED TO EXCHANGE—Some desirable Nebraska land to exchange for stock of goods or other property.

Several desirable pieces of city property to exchange for farm lands.

Four vacant lots in Wisconsin town of 30,000 to exchange for horses.

Vacant lot in Riverside to exchange for new upright piano, must be good.

I have a customer who will pay cash for vacant lot in desirable part of the city, must be cheap for cash; will take incumbered property and pay off incumberance.

Equity in elegant residence within one block of business portion of city; this property has all modern conveniences; this is a snap for someone, numerous other bargains.

C. M. ATTERBURY,
may21-tf Over Irwin's drug store.

MISCELLANEOUS.

CONNOISSEURS claim our Teas and Coffees are far ahead of anything ever offered to the people of Decatur. Remember our goods do not come in contact with lard, soaps, and oils, which affect the flavors and destroy the aroma incident to first class teas and coffees. Great Eastern Tea Co., importers, jobbers, retailers, 143 East Main street. aug3-d6t

NEW STORE—W. S. Garver, desires to notify his friends and the public that he has purchased the grocery and feed store at 612 East Eldorado street, and is prepared to serve all comers with groceries, poultry, fish, baled hay and feed. 20-d5w

NEW MEAT MARKET.—Adam Kreher & Son have opened a new meat market at the corner of West King and Monroe streets. The best stock to be had always on hand. Call and see us. may30-dtf

R. O. ROSEN, Architect and Builder. Office over Piper's Studio, opposite Library block.

TURTLE SOUP—All lovers of this delicious morsel are requested to call at Moser & Mildenberger's, 527 North Morgan street, Saturday, August 4. Incidentally callers can secure the best lager, liquors and cigars money can buy. Don't forget time and place. 28-d7

NEW LIVERY—H. E. Crews has purchased the livery stable at 140 East Cerro Gordo street, and is prepared to furnish single and double rigs with good gentle horses for driving, at lowest rates. Horses boarded at lowest living rates. 18-d1m

PUMPS,
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GEO. M. WOOD,
Aug1-d&wtm* 135 South Water st

WE draw our supplies of teas and coffees from every known tea and coffee growing country in the world, and other inducements which will surprise and please you. A trial of our goods will convince you that ours is the only place. Great Eastern Tea Co., importers, jobbers and retailers, 143 East Main St., Decatur, Ill. 17-d2w

FOR A GOOD LUNCH—Call on A. J. Brown's lunch room, 161 North Water street. The best 15c meal in the city, also a fresh line of cigars and tobacco. july11-dtf

QUALIFIED BY MANY YEARS of experience Katherine M. Sweet has opened an office in Room 22, Syndicate Block, where uterine and nervous affections are treated by the absorption process, which has proved so successful in Chicago as to merit an office in Decatur. July 10-d1m

FULL line of cut flowers, roses, etc. A fine line of bedding plants, Geraniums, Verbena, Pansies, etc., delivered to any part of the city. Call on or telephone 200. N. Bommersbach.

NEW STORE.—W. D. Wheeler informs his friends that he has bought J. H. Ray's stand, 626 East Eldorado street. A complete line of groceries, feed, poultry and fish always on hand. Prices made to suit the times. may26-dtf

WELLS driven or bored, from two to thirty-six inches, walled with either brick or tile. For terms or prices, call at C. R. FOSTER'S grocery store, 1075 North Water street. jy1-dtf

THE Mutual Telephone company is now ready to make contracts for service. For particulars call on DR. J. G. HARVEY, Opera House Block. apr23-dtf

STORAGE—Regular storage house for all kinds of merchandise, household goods, stoves, etc. Goods transferred to and from the house. Goods packed. Loans made. 'Brick building. Office and warerooms 620 East Mason street. Telephone 282. C. C. HARPSTRITE. jan-dtf

PIANOS, Organs, musical instruments, jewelry, silverware, watches, clocks, lamps, lace curtains, window shades, chenille goods, carpet sweepers, etc., on easy payments, if desired. A practical jeweler in the store. Also successful piano tuner and organ repairer. Satisfaction guaranteed. S. GARRETT, 449 North Water St. apr12-dtf

GO to W. D. Chamberlain & Co. in the Library Block for your furniture and upholstering and repairing. apr18-dsf

YOU SHOULD remember the difference in the cost of the best and poorest insurance is but a trifle, the difference in case of loss, however, may be sufficient to bankrupt you. Gay & Midkiff have some of the best. 337 North Water street. June 18-dtf

MISS NESBITT HAS PROVEN HERSELF to be thorough in the optical profession; has fitted hundreds with marvelous success, receives testimonials daily from those benefitted by her skill. Will mention a few:

We believed our daughter blind in one eye, and could see very little out of the other. Miss Nesbitt fitted her with spectacles, and now her eyes are almost normal. Mrs. D. W. Patton, Broadway.

I have suffered for years with nervous headache, Miss Nesbitt fitted me with glasses that relieved me. Those needing anything in her line will do well to give her a call. Office 250 North Park street.

Mrs. Hampton, West Decatur street, says: Had five spots on my eyes, the result of scarlet fever. Miss Nesbitt cured me after six opticians had failed. 25-d1m

R. L. FULLINWIDER & CO., manufacturer foundry patterns, models, furniture, keys, house numbers, plasterers' tools, quilting frames, door and window screens. Repair bicycles, sewing machines, electric bells, electrical supplies, gasoline stoves, stove repairs, setting window glass, locks, lawn mowers, baby buggies and musical instruments. Grinding and polishing barber supplies, scissors, saws, surgical instruments and all kinds of tools sharpened. Drop us a card and we will call at residence. Shop 249 North Water street, Decatur, Ill. apr21-dtf

LOST, FOUND, ETC.

LOST OR STRAYED AWAY—A dapple gray Shetland pony. Finder will please restore same to Dr. Catto's residence and receive reward. 3-d1w

FOUND—You want to save money, of course you do, these hard times. You would be surprised to find how little money will buy a stove, furniture, in fact anything at Chance's second hand store 240 East Main street. 24-d1w

FOUND—The best place in the city for high grade pictures is at ABRAMS' gallery, over Fed Record, Burrows & Co's bank. For the best aristotype and crayon pictures you should not fail to call. july7dtf

LOST—By those persons, who do not use the REPUBLICAN want columns, the splendid opportunities and business advantages offered here every day. apr16-dtf

FOUND AT LAST.—The people of Riverside in particular and Decatur in general have found the best place to buy groceries, meats, candies, flour, fruits, cigars, etc., at W. F. HURTT'S Riverside Grocery House. 20-d3w

MONEY TO LOAN.

MONEY to loan in large and small amounts. Loans made on live stock, farm implements, or household goods. All classes of loans negotiated on short notice. Loans on farms and city business property at 6 per cent interest. Apply to A. T. SUMMERS, No. 145 North Water street, over Abel's carpet house, Decatur, Ill. july16-d&wtf

MONEY TO LOAN—Real estate conveyancing. Apply to WALTER & WALTER, room 36, Arcade office building, Decatur. nov1-dtf

MONEY TO LOAN—On real estate, farm machinery, live stock, household goods or good personal security. Houses rented, rents and accounts collected. J. W. Rodman & Co., over Millikin's bank. 13-dtf

MONEY TO LOAN in any amount on real estate, chattels or good personal security. C. T. HAIGH, over Busher's shoe store, 152 E. Main street. mar19dtf.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
COUNTY OF MACON, }

In the Circuit Court of Macon County, Illinois.

Frederick Wilson, complainant, vs. Charles Elliott, Alice Elliott, Henry Elliott, John Elliott, Charles Broyles, Sarah Broyles, Emeline Etherton, Robert Mitchell, George W. Mitchell, Mary Harris, Henry Harris, Mary Price, Thomas Price, Charles E. Price, Elizabeth Price, James Troutman, —— Troutman, his wife, Jessie Troutman and Ida Troutman, defendants.—No. 14,836. September Term, 1894. In Chancery. Bill to quiet title.

Affidavit of the nonresidence in this state of the said Henry Elliott, Charles Broyles, Sarah Broyles, Mary Price, Thomas Price, James Troutman, —— Troutman, his wife Ida Troutman, Jessie Troutman, Charles E. Price and Elizabeth Price, defendants in the above entitled cause, having been filed in the office of the clerk of the circuit court of said county, notice is hereby given to the said Henry Elliott, Charles Broyles, Sarah Broyles, Mary Price, Thomas Price, James Troutman, —— Troutman, his wife, Ida Troutman, Jessie Troutman, Charles E. Price and Elizabeth Price, that the above named complainant heretofore filed his bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, which suit is still pending, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court upon the above named defendants, returnable on the first day of next September term of said court, to be held at the court house in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the fourth Monday in the month of September, A. D., 1894.

Now, unless you, the said Henry Elliott, Charles Broyles, Sarah Broyles, Mary Price, Thomas Price, James Troutman, —— Troutman, his wife, Ida Troutman, Jessie Troutman, Charles E. Price and Elizabeth Price, be and appear on the first day of said term of court, and plead, answer or demur to the said bill of complaint, the same will be taken as true and a decree rendered according to the prayer thereof.

Dated at Decatur, Illinois, August 3d, 1894.
E. McCLELLAN, Clerk of said Court.
ALEXANDER McINTOSH, Complainant's Sol.
Aug4-d4t

Master in Chancery's Sale.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss. In the circuit court.
MACON COUNTY, }
Daniel L. Shutter et al, }
vs. } No. 14,655
Chas. A. Shutter et al. }

BILL FOR PARTITION.

Public notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a decree of the Circuit Court of Macon county, in the State of Illinois, entered at the June term of said court, A. D. 1894, in the above entitled cause, I, James J. Finn, Master in Chancery of said court, will on Saturday, September 1, 1894, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., at the north door of the court house in the city of Decatur, in said county offer for sale at public auction, to the highest and best bidder, the real estate described as follows, to-wit:

The northeast quarter of section 20, township 17 north, range 3 east of the third principal meridian, in Macon county, Illinois, subject to the right of way of the Illinois Central Railway Co. across said premises, and subject to the rights of the present tenant, expiring March 1, 1895. Also lots 11 and 12, in block 3, of the village of Oreana, in said county.

TERMS OF SALE—All cash in hand, but there is a mortgage not yet due for $2,500, with 6 per cent. interest, on part of the land, and the buyer may, at his option, take the land subject to that mortgage and continue it, in which case the amount due thereon will be deducted from the purchase price. Otherwise the full price will be paid and the mortgage will be paid off out of the proceeds of the sale. The land will be first offered in separate tracts and afterwards as a whole, and will be sold in whatever way will yield the greatest sum of money.

An abstract of title may be seen and further information had by application to E. S. McDonald, attorney, Decatur, Ill.

Dated at Decatur, Ill., this 1st day of August, 1894. JAMES J. FINN, Master in Chancery.
E. S. McDONALD, Complainant's Solicitor.
Aug3-d4w

Master in Chancery's Sale.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit court of Macon county, Illinois

The Equitable Building and Loan Association vs. Lewis C. May et al—June Term: 1894, No 14,752. Bill for foreclosure.

Public notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a decree of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, entered in the above entitled cause at the June term of said court, 1894, I, James J. Finn, Master in Chancery of said court, will, at the hour of 3 o'clock p. m. on Friday, the 24th day of August, A. D., 1894, at the front door of the court house in Decatur in said county, offer for sale at public vendue, subject to redemption according to law, to the highest and best bidder for cash the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lot six (6) and four (4) feet off of the south side of lot seven (7) in block five (5) in North addition to the City of Decatur, in Macon county, Illinois, with all improvements thereon, being situated 80 feet on North Church street and 150 feet on Packard street

Dated at Decatur, Ill., this 31st day of July, A D 1894.

JAMES J. FINN, Master-in-Chancery
M. M. GISH, Plaintiffs' Solicitor. aug1-dtd

NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

In the County Court to the October term, A. D. 1894.

In the matter of the application of the city of Decatur to condemn property to extend East Decatur street:

To Mary Bowles: You are hereby notified that the above-entitled proceedings are now pending in said court, in said county and state, and that such proceedings are pending to the next term of said court, and that in and by said proceedings land owned by you is sought to be taken and damaged, for the purpose of extending East Decatur street.

Now, unless you shall personally be and appear before said court on the first day of said term to be held in said city, county and state, on the eighth day of October, A.D. 1894, to which time and place the summons is returnable, and object, plead, answer and demur to the said petition, the same and the matters and things therein charged and stated will be taken as confessed and an order of judgment and decree entered against you, according to the prayer of said petition. GEO. P. HARDY, Clerk.
july10-d4w

Notice of Final Settlement.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY. }

In the County Court to the July Term, 1894.

In the matter of the final statement of Andrew H. Mills, Executor of the last will and testament of Harriet Sawyer, deceased.

To Whom It May Concern:

Notice is hereby given that I have filed the final report of my acts and doings as the executor of the last will and testament of Harriet Sawyer, deceased, in the County Court of said county, and will ask said court upon the fourth day of August, A. D. 1894, at the hour of 9 o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as the matter can be disposed of, to consider and approve said report and discharge me from further liability under said trust, at which time and place you can be present and take such action as you may deem best. ANDREW H. MILLS,
Executor of the last will and testament of Harriet Sawyer, deceased.
july18-d2w

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Mary H. McCarty, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed executor of the estate of Mary H. McCarty, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby give notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county at the court house in Decatur, at the October term on the first Monday in October next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 28th day of July, 1894.
JAMES C. BEATTY, Executor.
July 28-d3w

ASSIGNEE'S SALE.

Public notice is hereby given that the undersigned assignee of the Decatur Implement Co., will on Monday, the 27th day of August 1894 at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., on the premises situated on Franklin street, offer at public sale to the best and highest bidder, the building occupied by said company, being the same building constructed by said company, said building is 52x120 feet, is new and well constructed and especially adapted to the Implement business. Said sale will be made subject to the terms of a certain ground lease made by said Decatur Implement Company to Brown & Hatzrader which will be fully explained on the day of sale. Possession given September 1st 1894. Terms cash.
O. T. KIRK, Assignee &c.
aug3-dtd

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

To the Creditors of George W. Jones & Co.

On the 18th day of July, 1894, George W. Jones and James T. Turner, doing business under the firm name of George W. Jones & Co. at 10 East Prairie street, Decatur, Ill., made a voluntary assignment under the statute of this state to the undersigned as assignee. Therefore notice is hereby given to all creditors to present their accounts under oath or affirmation within three months from the date of said assignment.

Decatur, Ill., July 18, 1894.
C. M. ALLISON,
july18-d6w Assignee.

R. R. TIME TABLES.

In effect May 20, 1894.

Wabash.

FROM ST. LOUIS		TO ST. LOUIS	
No. 10 Pass	8 45 p m	No. 9 Pass	6 30 a m
" 4 Pass	11 57 a m	" 3 Pass	8 45 a m
" 44 Pass	11 25 a m	" 43 Pass	4 05 a m
" 42 Pass	10 10 p m	" 45 Pass	4 15 p m
" 2 Pass	12 40 a m	" 1 Pass	4 10 p m
FROM QUINCY AND KANSAS CITY		TO QUINCY AND KANSAS CITY	
No. 42 Pass	10 05 p m	No. 41 Pass	4 30 a m
" 44 Pass	11 05 a m	45 Pass	4 10 p m
" 6 Pass	6 45 a m	1 Pass	9 07 p m
" 46 Acc	7 05 p m	47 Acc	6 45 a m
" 70 Freight	11 05 a m	71 Freight	6 30 a m
FROM TOLEDO AND DETROIT.		TO TOLEDO AND DETROIT.	
No. 43 Pass	3 30 a m	No. 46 Pass	6 17 a m
" 45 Pass	3 55 p m	44 Pass	11 45 a m
" 41 Pass	9 00 p m	4 Pass	10 15 p m
" 47 Pass		48 Pass	
from Bement 10 30 a m		to Bement	6 30 p m
FROM CHICAGO		TO CHICAGO	
No. 8 Pass	3 30 a m	No. 7 Pass	7 25 a m
" 5 Pass	4 05 p m	" 1 Pass	10 30 p m
" 1 Pass, except Sunday	8 20 p m	6 Pass, except Sunday	6 30 p m

Illinois Central.

NORTH		SOUTH	
Diamond Special, daily	1 58 a m	Diamond Special daily	3 30 a m
No 122 pass. ex. Sunday	9 40 a m	No. 121 pass. ex. Sunday	10 25 a m
No. 194 freight ex. Sunday	2 00 p m	No. 193 freight ex. Sunday	10 40 a m
No. 102 pass. ex. Sunday	9 00 p m	No. 103 pass. ex. Sunday	5 25 p m
No. 702 (Champ'n line) leaves, ex Sunday	3 15 p m	No. 701 (Champ'n line) arrives ex Sunday	10 15 a m

Indiana, Decatur & Western Ry. Co.

ARRIVE		LEAVE	
No. 1 Pass	2 40 p m	No. 2 Pass	11 30 a m
" 3 Pass	3 55 a m	" 4 Pass	10 30 a m
" 7 Freight	9 00 a m	" 10 Freight	4 00 p m

Peoria, Decatur and Evansville.

NORTH.		SOUTH	
No. 2 Pass	2 55 p m	No. 1 Pass	11 05 a m
" 4 Pass	6 55 a m	" 3 Pass	10 15 p m
" 30 Pass, Sun day only	7 50 a m	" 31 Pass, Sun day only	6 30 p m
" 14 Freight	10 45 a m	" 11 Freight	10 00 a m

Vandalia Line.

ARRIVE.		
From Terre Haute.	11 05 a m	7 30 p m
From Peoria	2 40 p m	7 15 p m
LEAVE.		
For Peoria	11 30 a m	7 p m
For Terre Haute	7 00 a m	1 p m

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DUN'S TRADE REVIEW

Important Business Changes Near at Hand.

AN EARLY AGREEMENT ON THE TARIFF

Expected to Set Many Wheels in Motion—The Crops and Movement of Grain—Imports and Exports—The Outgo of Gold.

NEW YORK. Aug. 4.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade, issued to-day, says:

An important change in the state of business is near at hand, congress will not act on the tariff question one way or the other in all probability. within a week. In either case the definite basis for future business will enable many to act who are now waiting. The injury to crops by hot winds and drought, if as great as some report, will affect all interests, but at this season it is never easy to distinguish between local and general damage After making a new low record at 54½, wheat advanced 1½ cents and corn 5¼ cents The receipts of wheat were 6,400,254 bushels, against 4,002,696 last year, which does not encourage notions of a short yield, and exports were only 1,599,563 bushels from Atlantic ports against 3,185,464 last year. Corn exports were only 118,438 bushels against 1,500,781 last year, and receipts 1,952,-843, against 2,532 976, but it seems undeniable that the crop has sustained considerable injury. Cotton declined an eighth with commercial estimates of a yield exceeding 8,500,000 bales

After tariff uncertainties have vanished it will be recognized that purchases and orders for the coming year will depend largely upon the crops. But at present the prospect of a decision in congress, and the common impression that the pending bill may fall between the two houses, has stimulated some activity in textiles. Sales of wool were 8,522,000 pounds, against 3,742,050 last year and 9,330,400 the year before, and for five weeks ending with July were 30 882,725 pounds, against 14,438,950 last year and 38,586,750 in 1892. It seems that a large part of the sales this week were to fill orders actually booked, and the rush of belated clothiers and dealers to get goods for the fall trade gives most manufacturers more than they can do for a month or two, though there seems to be no demand whatever for spring goods, and manufacturers are making no effort to get orders. Wool has been advanced for many kinds 1 cent and the average about half a cent. after the decline of 1¼ cents for May 1.

The movement of bleached cottons has been checked by the restoration of prices, as it was stimulated by the temporary reduction to the lowest point on record, and the print cloth manufacturers at Fall River are seriously considering a reduction of wages, the stock there and at Providence being 1,185,000 pieces, while the lowest price ever known, 2 9-16 cents for 64s has been made at Providence. As a strike would help the price of the large stock on hand, one is not improbable.

Recovery in iron manufacture is hindered by greater trouble in the coke regions, where many of the new colored hands have quit and gone back to the south and the strikers have decided to continue the struggle.

Somewhat better business appears at Philadelphia, but the market is dull. There is no improvement in quantities of manufactured forms required at Pittsburgh or the west, and in general the demand for finished products is disappointing Prices remain unchanged, though with numerous small contracts for structural work; beams are a shade stronger, while Bessemer iron, bar iron and wire nails are a shade weaker

The demand crowds all works producing low-priced shoes, while manufacturers of better grades are left dependent upon slender daily orders to keep their shops in operation Shipments from Boston for the week are 25 per cent. larger than last year, and for July 12 per cent , but a decrease as compared with 189[illegible] [illegible]11 per cent.

Gold exports this week are about $4,-[illegible] and the treasury gold reserve is reduced to about $52,000,000. The outgo is in part to pay large railroad and other loans made a year ago in time of especial stress. The main fact is that exports of domestic products in July were nearly 20 per cent. less than last year, while the imports, though much diminished, for the time by tariff uncertainties, are but 6 per cent. less than last year. There is every reason to expect heavier imports soon, while the markets do not give promise of a strong foreign demand for the great exportable staples. Money is now coming into New York banks, though in small amounts and the customary heavy demand from the west has not yet appeared, though the wheat movement is heavy. Commercial loans are decidedly increasing. though not enough as yet to terminate the extraordinary ease of the money market.

The volume of domestic business reflected by exchanges through clearing-houses is 22.6 per cent. less than last year, and 28.8 per cent. less than in 1892. Improvement here cannot precede but must follow recovery in manufactures.

The railroad earnings reported for July are 26.6 per cent. less than last year, and partly because of the sharp decline a year ago, the decrease for the latest week was only 13.1 per cent. The tonnage east-bound from Chicago has nearly recovered its former magnitude. Gold exports and other discouraging features depressed the average prices of stocks 40 cents per share, while legislative rumors helped to lift trust stocks 91 cents per share.

Commercial liabilities thus far reported in failures during July amounted to $9,016,778, of which $4,500,230 were of manufacturing and $4,231,470 of trading concerns, and the decrease for the month, though great in comparison with last year, is hardly as much as has been expected. The failures this week in the United States have been 219, against 496 last year, and 44 in Canada against 34 last year.

DREAD OF THE WINTER

Driving the Pullman Employes Back to Work—A Full Force Expected To-Day.

PULLMAN, Ill., Aug. 4.—When the steam whistle blew at the works yesterday morning for workmen to begin their day's labor, 500 men, a majority of whom were formerly strikers, reported for duty in the repair department. Forty more had applied for their old places before the noon whistle blew. The total number of men at work in this department at the time of the strike was 600.

Supt. Middleton expects the full working force to-day. The main body of the strikers is said to be weakening, chiefly because they fear the hard times will bring a surplus of skilled workmen here to take their places if they do not return at once, and they are looking forward to the winter. Still there was no rush of strikers to the office of the company to apply for their old places. The men at work were not interfered with.

New car builders and mechanics arrive here every day from other shops, where they were let go on account of the depression.

Mayor Hopkins said yesterday the militia would be withdrawn at once if the boycott was declared off, but in any event the troops would not be kept here much longer.

WILL SUE THE SHERIFF

For Illegal Arrest and Detention of Men During the Late Railway Strike.

TOPEKA, Kan., Aug 4.—The officers of the local lodge of the American Railway union yesterday employed two prominent attorneys to institute damage suits against Sheriff Burge of this county for ilegally imprisoning men brought to Topeka for the alleged violation of orders of the federal courts during the recent strike It is charged that fifteen men were brought here and thrown into jail without due process of law and held by the sheriff indefinitely. Seven were from Dodge City, two from Argentine and one each from Chanute, Nickerson, Florence and Newton. and two from Ottawa The suits will be for $10,000 for each of the men. It is charged that each of them were confined for a number of days without being regularly committed and that they were finally released without trial, their imprisonment having accomplished the object for which they were detained

"MOVE ON!"

Coxeyites Driven by Force from an Arkansas Town.

OSCEOLA, Ark., Aug 4.—A party of Coxeyites arrived here yesterday morning on a flatboat, and Col. Schoefer, the commander asked permission of Mayor Borum to march his men through the street and make a speech, which he refused, saying that all the men within the corporate limits after two hours would be arrested as vagrants Col Schoefer and his men went to the north end of town, but refused to go further The mayor, marshal and sheriff went to them, asking them to leave peaceably, but the men acted like they would resist. Then Mayor Borum sent for a few men to come armed, and about thirty responded. Col. Schoefer and his followers, numbering fifteen or eighteen, were ordered to their boat and forced to embark. Some of the men were struck with clubs and revolvers, but none were seriously hurt.

LATEST FROM BLUEFIELDS.

A Crisis Approaching and a Battle Momentarily Expected.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 4.—The steamship Gussie, from Bluefields, passed the quarantine at 4 o'clock yesterday evening, and a brief dispatch from there says that the situation has reached a crisis at Bluefields, as the army sent from the interior has reached the coast to suppress the Mosquito Indians, and a battle is momentarily expected. No formal notice of an attack has yet been given by Gen. Cabezas, the Nicaraguan commissioner, and Capt. O Neill of the Marblehead has sent him word as a reminder that twenty-four hours must be given to allow foreigners and non-combatants an opportunity to seek places of safety

Captains of the ships in the harbor are preparing to harbor the refugees, and all is activity aboard the Marblehead.

Baseball.

The following games were played yesterday

At Pittsburgh—St. Louis, 8; Pittsburghs, 6.

At Cleveland—Clevelands, 11; Cincinnatis, 5.

At Louisville—Louisvilles, 9; Chicagos, 0. Game given to Louisvilles; Chicagos refusing to play with balls furnished by the Louisville club

At Boston—Washingtons, 8; Bostons, 4.

At Brooklyn—First Game — New Yorks, 17; Brooklyns, 3 Second Game —Brooklyns, 7; New Yorks, 6.

At Philadelphia—First Fame—Philadelphias, 14; Baltimores, 4. Second Game—Baltimores, 16; Philadelphias, 3.

Found Drowned.

DAKOTA CITY, Neb., Aug. 4.—Ex-County Treasurer Neff's body was found yesterday morning by fishermen in Crystal lake. There were several bruises on his head and his clothes cannot be found, which gives rise to the suspicion of murder. He has been missing since last Wednesday.

Failed and Assigned.

QUINCY, Mass., Aug. 4.—John E. Drake & Co., manufacturers of men's boots and shoes, failed and assigned yesterday to Timothy Reed and Henry Rodgers. Mr. Drake is an old manufacturer in the town, and has done a business of about $400,000 a year.

LIGHT IS BREAKING.

The Beginning of the End of the Tariff Conference.

AGREEMENT ON THE SUGAR SCHEDULE

Said to Have Been Practically Arrived At On a Basis Satisfactory to the House and Acceptable to the Senate.

WASHINGTON, Aug 3.—If any faith at all can be put in the signs that manifest themselves about the capitol, to-morrow will witness the beginning of the end of the tariff conference. There is every indication that the democratic members will get closer together to-morrow than they have at any time yet. This is due to the fact that the sugar schedule is practically out of the way. Though every member of the conference denies that there has been any agreement there seems no longer any reason to doubt that they have agreed as to what they will do when the time comes to act. The house conferees have always held that there was hidden away in the schedule of the senate bill a protection to the trust that greatly augmented the differential one-eighth that was given them, and they have contended that this should be removed Upon this basis they make the demand that the text of the bill should be changed, and in a spirit of concession the senate. to that extent, yielded As now prepared, the sugar schedule will provide for the levying of the following duties. On all raw and refined sugars, 40 per cent. ad valorem, the same rate as heretofore, but with this difference. that duty will be based, not on the prices per pound, whatever it may be, nor the mere pound of the article purchased, but upon the saccharine strength of the sugar found in the total amount. If the sugar is raw the duty will be collected upon only the pure sugar that it contains, and when it comes to the collection of the duty on refined sugar, instead of the collection before made upon the value of the refined article, it will be based upon the value and amount of pure sugar necessary to make the refined product.

In this way, it is claimed there will be absolutely no hidden protection for the trust, and that nothing can accrue to them through the process of refining. The refiner will be given a differential duty of one-fifth of a cent a pound on refined sugar, and a discriminating duty levied against such countries as pay an export bounty on refined sugar equivalent to the amount of that duty

It is figured out by those who advocate this duty that it is not any better for the trust than the former schedule, although this is denied in other quarters It is also said that the house conferees will accept this as a solution of the problem, and that they will claim it as a victory It is understood that the senators who have cared for this interest were consulted, and that they reluctantly accepted the schedule as the best that could be had and agreed that it would not be antagonized

If this schedule is finally determined upon to-morrow—for there is always the possibility of a change at the last moment—it is quite probable that the remainder of the bill may be speedily disposed of, and there is a hope that the full conference may be had Monday and the report made to the senate early in the week

The most of the day was consumed in a discussion of the other schedules and there is now a pretty clear understanding as to what shall be done with the rest of the bill

It is said to-night that the Louisiana senators and Messrs. Allen and Kyle, the latter representing the beet sugar industry, will not accept the proposed schedule If this is true, it is not apparent how the democrats expect to pass the bill There is no provision in the schedule for the bounty for 1894, and both the Louisiana senators have declared that unless this bounty is put in the bill they cannot support it. It is probable that by to-morrow night the situation will have crystalized into something tangible and that the outcome will be known with some degree of definiteness.

FIFTY-THIRD CONGRESS.

(First Session.)

SENATE.

WASHINGTON, Aug 3.—The last of the appropriation bills—the general deficiency—passed the senate to-day, and will now go to a conference in which the disagreeing votes of the two houses will be reconciled and adjusted Seven out of the fourteen appropriation bills have already become law through the signature of the president. These are: Fortifications pensions military academy, post office, diplomatic and legislative. The other seven are, some in the president's hands, awaiting approval, and the rest in conference.

The house bill to subject national bank notes and United States treasury notes to state taxation was allowed to be taken up in the senate to-day, on the assurance of Mr. George, who had reported it from the judiciary committee, that it would not occupy more than fifteen minutes.

After twice that length of time had been spent upon it, attention was called by Mr. Hale to the fact that the silver populist orator from Nevada, Mr. Stewart, was about to make a speech upon it, and probably to offer his free-coinage bill as an amendment to it; and Mr. Hale remarked that the bill could not be disposed of in fifteen hours or in fifteen days.

Mr. Stewart laughingly admitted the correctness of Mr. Hale's guess, and the effort to pass the bill was given up for the day—the deficiency bill taking its place and going to its final passage about 6:20 p. m.

The house bill for the admission of the territories of New Mexico and Arizona as state were reported from the committee on territories and are now on the calendar, from which they may be taken at any time and passed. The conference report on the river and harbor bill was presented and went over until to-morrow.

The senate adjourned at 6:35 p. m.

HOUSE.

The house was in session five hours this afternoon, and the net result was the passage of a bill directing the payment of $10,000 to Representative Heard, of Missouri, for legal services rendered to the old settlers or western Cherokee Indians out of their funds in the treasury: and of a bill providing for the payment of about $40,000 of 8 per cent. district of Columbia greenback certificates

The conference report on the river and harbor bill was agreed to, and a conference was ordered on the sundry civil appropriation bill; also upon the bill regulating the printing and publication of public documents.

Mr Blair introduced a joint resolution directing an investigation by the department of labor into the lynchings of the past ten years, the cause thereof, etc, which was referred to the committee on labor.

The next two hours of the afternoon session was devoted to the consideration of bills to reclassify and regulate the salaries of clerks in the railway postal service and in first and second class post offices, but no action was taken on either of them.

At 5 o'clock under the rules, the house took a recess until 8 o'clock, the evening session to be devoted to the consideration of private pension bills

EVENING SESSION.

At the evening session of the house nine private pension bills were reported with favorable recommendation, and at 10 p. m. the house adjourned until noon Monday.

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

—Orange Page, colored, was hanged in the jail yard at Raleigh, N C., yesterday.

—Marsh's biscuit factory in Belfast, was burned yesterday morning. The loss is £30,000.

—The business part of Lakeview, Mich. burned yesterday morning. The loss is estimated at $130,000.

—Fire yesterday morning destroyed a quarter of the business portion of Marion, Ia. Loss over $100,000.

—The town of Golop, in Hungary, has been burned Only fifteen houses in the entire town are left standing.

—The United States has finally recognized the new government of Salvador and Dr Horatio Guzman as its representative.

—Dr John Rommell, Jr., president of the Mechanics' national bank of Philadelphia, died suddenly Thursday. He was 60 years of age.

—Four tramps stealing a ride on a west-bound Pennsylvania train yesterday were burned to death in the fire which followed a collision.

—Dr. Cornelius Herz, the Panama lobbyist, was sentenced in Paris, yesterday to five years' imprisonment and to pay a fine of 3,000 francs

—Maj William Rawle Brown, formerly of the United States marine corps, from which he retired in 1892, died in Philadelphia Thursday.

—The United States steamer Michigan, which went on a shoal at Bar Point Thursday, was released yesterday by the Home Run, not much damaged.

—Henry Dohme, of Chicago, yesterday shot and killed his wife, and then shot and fatally wounded himself. Jealously is said to have caused the crime

—Simple funeral services were held in Washington, yesterday, over the remains of Gen. Holt, after which the body was dispatched to Holt, Ky, for interment.

—At the election in Tennessee, yesterday for state, judiciary and county officers, the democrats won by a decreased majority. The republicans and populists fused

—The British ship Shandon, from San Francisco for Calcutta, over which much anxiety has been felt, arrived at Honolulu July 22, short of provisions and with a half-starved crew.

—A fourth part of the town of Minsk, capital of the Russian government of that name, has been destroyed by fire Several persons were killed during the progress of the fire.

—Geo. Schmous, a Bavarian, who killed his wife and two children, and Geo Duckovic, an accomplice, were yesterday sentenced at Pittsburgh, Pa, to be hanged September 20.

—The vicinity of Arkansas City, Kan, was visited yesterday by a cloud of grasshoppers, ranging in length from two and a half to three inches. They are devouring everything in sight.

—At the conclusion of the trial of Caesario Santo, the murderer of President Carnot, in the assize court at Lyons yesterday, the prisoner was sentenced to be executed by the guillotine.

—A cablegram received at the Chinese legation in Washington form the home government confirms the recent repulse of the Japanese by the Chinese at Ashan, with an estimated loss of 2,000 killed.

—Philip Townsend & Co., of Philadelphia, manufacturers of nails, made an assignment yesterday for the benfit of creditors. The liabilities of the firm are placed at $175,000 and the assets $250,000.

—The boiler of a threshing engine exploded on a farm two miles east of Dahlgren, Ill., Thursday afternoon, resulting in the instant death of three persons, the serious and probably fatal injury of two and slight injuries to several others.

—Confirmation of the report that the emperor of China has divested Viceroy Li Hung Chang of the order of the yellow riding coat, the highest order in China, allowing the wearer privileges next to the emperor, has been received. His offense was allowing Japan to get ahead of China in preparing for war.

Saturday Sale—

As To-day is Saturday we will offer Special Inducements from every department of our store in order to see how many goods we can sell.

Dry Goods Department.

Silk Mitts at 25, 35 and 45c.
Ladies' Vests at 8, 10, 12½ and 15c.
Summer Corsets at 50c.
7c Unbleached Muslin at 5c.
Pongees, just received, at 15c.
New Sateens, just in, at 15c.
New Prints and Ginghams.
$1 quality of Henriettas at 69c to-day.
75c quality Table Linen at 48c to-day.
Remnants of all kinds cheap to-day.

Shoes.

Yes, we keep Shoes of all kinds.
Ladies' Oxfords at 95c, $1.15, 1.35 and 1.50. See them.
Button Shoes at $1.35, $1.55, 1.75, 2.00 and 2.50.
Men's Shoes at $1.40, 1.75, 2.00 and 2.50.

Wraps and Jackets.

We have quite a few Jackets and Wraps of medium weight to sell at reduced prices.

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Financial Reports of the Board of Education, for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1894.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER.

RECEIPTS

1893		
July 1	To balance on hand	$11 781 70
Aug 14	To H C Montgomery	15,892 48
1894		
Mar 24	To J N Donahey Co Supt	5,617 58
May 2	To E A Gastman, Clerk, old iron and desks	118 43
30	To interest on balance to date	193 69
June 22	To R. P Lytle Collector, to date	36,667 09
	Total receipts	$69,570,94

EXPENDITURES

1894		
June 30	By paid orders of last year	$ 15 74
30	By paid orders of current yr	59 531 62
30	By balance on hand	10,023 58
	Total	$69,570.94

INTEREST FUND ACCOUNT

1893		
June 15	To R P Lytle Collector	$1 347 47
Aug 14	To H C Montgomery, Treas	1,013 00
	Total	$2,360 47

CREDIT

1893		
Aug 28	By N W Harris & Co	$1 125 00
1894		
Feb 28	By N W Harris & Co	$1 127 81
June 30	By balance on hand	107 66
	Total	$2,360 47

SINKING FUND ACCOUNT

1893		
June 15	To R P Lytle Collector	$1 524 00
Aug 14	To H C Montgomery Treas	642 00
	Total	$2 166 00

CREDIT

1894		
Feb [illegible]	By loan to W. P. Widi[illegible]	$1 000 00
June [illegible]	By loan to Martin	[illegible]
	By balance on hand	58 64
	Total	$2 166 00

R. H. ROBY *Treasurer.*

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

EXPENSES

Freight and drayage	$ [illegible]
Fuel	[illegible]
Incidentals	[illegible]
Interest	[illegible]
Printing	[illegible]
Repairs	[illegible]
Stationery	[illegible]
Salaries	[illegible]
Janitors	[illegible]
Insurance	[illegible]
Total	$ [illegible]

PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS

Furniture	$ [illegible]
Fences and walks	[illegible]
Heating apparatus	[illegible]
Street paving and sewer	[illegible]
Marietta Street School	[illegible]
Water Street School	[illegible]
High School building	[illegible]
High School [illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]
Total	$1 [illegible]

[illegible] of payments $[illegible]
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STATEMENT OF INDEBTEDNESS

Fifty bonds of $1,000 each bearing 5 per cent interest payable to W P Harris & Co New York	$[illegible]
Forty-five bonds of $1,000 each bearing [illegible] per cent interest payable to N W Harris & Co New York	45,000 00
One [illegible] bearing 5 per cent interest payable to the City of Decatur	7 [illegible] 72
Orders of last year unpaid	213 19
Total	$67 [illegible]

E. A. GASTMAN, *Clerk.*

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

FREIGHT AND DRAYAGE

1893		
Aug 14	[illegible] Walter Pope	$ 16 13
Oct [illegible]		5 2[illegible]
Nov		3 00
Dec [illegible]		1 00
1894		
Jan 1		1 48
June 18	George Williamson	1 00
[illegible]	Robert Oliphant	5 00
	Total	$ 32 91

FUEL

1893		
Sept 25	M F Metz	$ [illegible]
[illegible]	Huff Bros Lumber Co	1 00
[illegible]	M F Metz	58 05
Nov [illegible]	Decatur Coal Co	2 10
1894		
Jan 11	M F Metz	[illegible]
Feb [illegible]		[illegible]
[illegible]	Shellabarger M & E Co	4 50
[illegible]	M F Metz	44 15
Apr [illegible]		88 80
[illegible]	F D Caldwell	[illegible]
May 10	M F Metz	5 20
June 1	F D Caldwell	1 75
	Total	$1 0[illegible]

FURNITURE

1893		
Sept 1	Manitowoc Seating Co	[illegible]
3	Britt & Shaw	[illegible]
[illegible]	Abel's Carpet House	40 24
Oct 1	O E Curtis & Bro	9 00
12	E A Gastman Supt	5 00
Dec [illegible]	U S Furniture Co	1 50
Nov [illegible]	G W Myers	12 25
1894		
Jan 31	Barnum Bros & Martin Co	[illegible]
[illegible]	Decatur Furniture Co	8 00
May 10	O E Curtis & Co	[illegible]
	Total	$[illegible]

FENCES AND WALKS

1893		
Aug 14	[illegible] Huffman	$ [illegible]
14	J J Barnum	476 08
Nov 9	D Martin & Co	7 05
Dec 15	Decatur Lumber Co	10 20
	Total	$650 76

HEATING APPARATUS

1893		
July 22	Smead Warming and Ven Co	$ 595 00
Dec 14		600 00
	Total	$1 195 00

INCIDENTALS

1893		
July 6	City of Decatur	$ 17 20
6	Decatur Gas Light and Coke Co	1 20
[illegible]	D Martin	70
[illegible]	John A Brown	1 10
[illegible]	Frank W Haines	7 00
[illegible]	Alum Van Stone	20 00
[illegible]	Linn & Scruggs	2 50
	Bradley Bros	[illegible]
[illegible]	Brown's Business College	6 70
[illegible]	M W Markwell	1 75
[illegible]	J H Conradt	45 00
[illegible]	I H Lee	1 25
[illegible]	S M Lutz	3 00
[illegible]	C M Caldwell	1 00
	Morehouse & Wells Co	23 90
[illegible]	T M Bower	5 00
[illegible]	J W Ehrman	5 00
[illegible]	F P Black	5 00
	H Durfee	5 00
	Tyler & Childs	3 00
Aug 14	Shellabarger M & E Co	1 [illegible]
14	R H Roby	11 00
[illegible]	E A Gastman Supt	4 00
14	N H Parke & Son	60
14	Central Union Tel Co	33 73
14	C J Lyons	4 00
14	Central Union Tel Co	9 00
14	Decatur G L & C Co	1 40
Sept 15	Western Union Tel Co	1 10
29	J M Miller & Co	3 00
[illegible]	C C Gerry	15 00
29	Henderson Ross	1 00
29	Washington Hise	4 50
Oct 12	McDavitt & Moore	2 00
[illegible]	Young Bros & Marrs	[illegible]
12	W A Olmsted	77 00
[illegible]	Western Union Tel Co	90
[illegible]	City of Decatur	17 80
[illegible]	Decatur G L & C Co	1 50
[illegible]	Central Union Tel Co	90 02
[illegible]	E A Gastman Supt	1 40
Nov [illegible]	Decatur Gas Co	2 40
[illegible]	Western Union Tel Co	1 00
9	Morehouse & Wells Co	7 20
Dec [illegible]		21 20
[illegible]	Decatur Gas Co	4 30
14	Maffit Ice Co	6 08
16	E A Gastman Supt	6 90
1894		
Jan 12	Morehouse & Wells Co	3 01
[illegible]	City of Decatur	17 80
11	Dr Will Barnes	8 00
[illegible]	Decatur Gas Co	4 80
[illegible]	E A Gastman, Supt	5 40
[illegible]	H Mueller P & M Co	11 37
11	Central Union Tel. Co	91.02
Feb [illegible]	E A Gastman, Supt	4 20
15	Decatur Gas Co	6 10
15	W A Olmsted	6.00
15	Morehouse & Wells Co	3.85
15	William Graves	2.00
[illegible]	Decatur Gas Co	5.20
22	Morehouse & Wells Co	4.80

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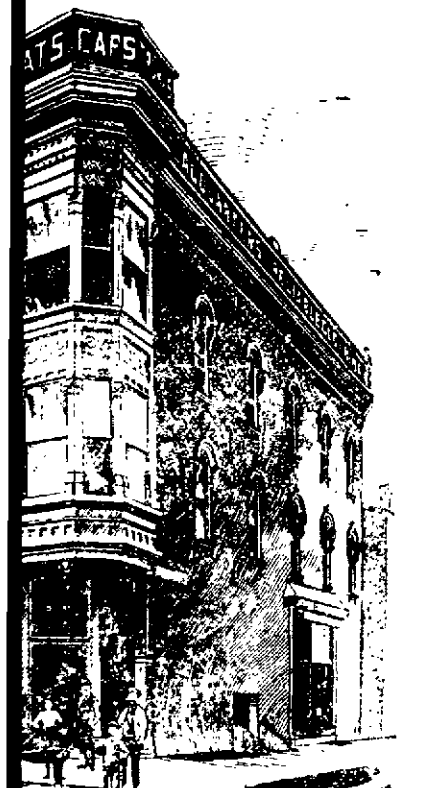

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Financial Reports of the Board of Education, for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1894.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER.

RECEIPTS.

1893.		
July 1,	To balance on hand	$11,781.70
Aug. 14,	To H. C. Montgomery	15,882.45
1894.		
Mar. 24,	To J. N. Donahey, Co. Supt.	5,017.58
May 27,	To E. A. Gastman, Clerk, old iron and desks	118.43
" 30,	To interest on balance to date	103.69
June 22,	To R. P. Lytle, Collector, to date	36,667.09
	Total receipts	$69,570.94

EXPENDITURES.

1894.		
June 30,	By paid orders of last year	$ 15.74
" 30,	By paid orders of current yr.	59,531.62
" 30,	By balance on hand	10,023.58
	Total	$69,570.94

INTEREST FUND ACCOUNT.

1893.		
June 15	To R. P. Lytle, Collector	$1,347.47
Aug. 14.	To H. C. Montgomery, Treas.	1,013.00
	Total	$2,360.47

CREDIT.

1893		
Aug. 28.	By N. W. Harris & Co.	$1,125.00
1894.		
Feb. 26.	By N. W. Harris & Co.	$1,127.81
June 30,	By balance on hand	107.66
	Total	$2,360.47

SINKING FUND ACCOUNT.

1893.		
June 15.	To R. P. Lytle, Collector	$1,524.90
Aug. 14.	To H. C. Montgomery, Treas.	642.00
	Total	$2,166.90

CREDIT.

1894.		
Feb. 15.	By loan to W. F. Widick	$1,600.00
June 27.	By loan to Martin	508.26
"	By balance on hand	58.64
	Total	$2,166.90

K. H. ROBY, *Treasurer.*

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES.

EXPENSES.

Freight and drayage	$ 32.91
Fuel	1,097.00
Incidentals	1,026.27
Interest	3,686.57
Printing	192.35
Repairs	1,511.21
Stationery	481.48
Salaries	36,910.04
Janitors	3,614.62
Insurance	1,152.30
Total	$50,304.75

PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS.

Furniture	$ 782.86
Fences and walks	570.76
Heating apparatus	1,185.00
Street paving and sewers	519.39
Marietta Street School	93.00
Warren Street School	8,365.44
High School building	139.30
High School laboratory	27.12
Bills receivable—investment sinking fund	2,108.26
Total	$13,801.13
Grand total of payments	$64,105.88
Orders outstanding and unpaid	213.19

STATEMENT OF INDEBTEDNESS.

Fifteen bonds of $1,000 each, bearing 5 per cent. interest, payable to W. P. Hazleton in New York	$15,000.00
Forty-five bonds of $1,000 each, bearing 5 per cent. interest, payable to N. W. Harris & Co. in New York	45,000.00
One bond, bearing 6 per cent. interest, payable to the City of Decatur	7,186.72
Orders of last year unpaid	213.19
Total	$67,399.91

E. A. GASTMAN, *Clerk.*

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES.

FREIGHT AND DRAYAGE.

1893.		
Aug. 14.	To Walter Pope	$ 16.13
Oct. 12,	"	5.25
Nov. 9,	"	3.05
Dec. 14,	"	1.00
1894.		
Jan. 11.	"	1.48
June 13.	George Williamson	1.00
" 13,	Robert Oliphant	5.00
	Total	$ 32.91

FUEL.

1893.		
Sept. 15,	M. F. Metz	$ 215.15
" 15,	Huff Bros. Lumber Co.	3.00
" 15,	M. F. Metz	583.65
Nov. 9,	Decatur Coal Co.	2.10
1894.		
Jan. 11,	M. F. Metz	37.30
Feb. 15,	"	108.90
" 23,	Shellabarger M & E. Co	4.50
" 23,	M. F. Metz	44.15
Apr. 12,	"	85.80
" 12,	F. D. Caldwell	5.50
May 10,	M. F. Metz	5.20
June 13,	F. D. Caldwell	1.75
	Total	$1,097.00

FURNITURE.

1893.		
Sept. 15,	Manitowoc Seating Co	$623.60
" 26,	Butt & Shaw	35.90
" 26,	Abel's Carpet House	40.24
Oct. 12,	O. E. Curtis & Bro	9.90
" 12,	E. A. Gastman, Supt	5.05
Dec. 1,	U. S. Furniture Co	1.50
Nov. 9,	G. W. Myers	12.25
1894.		
Jan. 11,	Bachman Bros & Martin Co	33.57
" 11,	Decatur Furniture Co	8.00
May 10,	O. E. Curtis & Co	3.30
	Total	$782.86

FENCES AND WALKS.

1893.		
Aug. 14,	J. G. Huffman	$ 75.00
" 14,	E. T. Barnum	476.06
Nov. 9,	D. Martin & Co	7.05
Dec. 14,	Decatur Lumber Co	10.20
	Total	$570.76

HEATING APPARATUS.

1893.		
July 22,	Smead Warming and Ven. Co.	$ 585.00
Dec. 14,	" " " "	600.00
	Total	$1,185.00

INCIDENTALS.

1893.		
July 5,	City of Decatur	$ 17.50
" 5,	Decatur Gas Light and Coke Co.	1.20
" 5,	D. Martin	.70
" 5,	John A. Brown	1.00
" 5,	Frank W. Haines	35.00
" 5,	Anna Van Stone	28.00
" 5,	Linn & Scruggs	2.50
" 5,	Bradley Bros	2.15
" 5,	Brown's Business College	6.70
" 5,	M. W. Markwell	1.75
" 5,	J. H. Coonradt	45.00
" 5,	L. B. Lee	10.25
" 5,	S. M. Lutz	3.00
" 5,	C. M. Caldwell	4.60
" 5,	Morehouse & Wells Co.	23.20
" 5,	J. M. Bower	5.00
" 5,	I. W. Ehrman	5.00
" 5,	F. P. Black	5.00
" 5,	J. H. Durfee	5.00
" 5,	Epler & Childs	3.00
Aug. 14,	Shellabarger M. & E. Co.	10.40
" 14,	K. H. Roby	11.00
" 14,	E. A. Gastman, Supt	4.10
" 14,	V. H. Parke & Son	.40
" 14,	Central Union Tel. Co	40.53
" 14,	C. J. Lyons	4.06
" 14,	Central Union Tel. Co	9.00
" 14,	Decatur G. L. & C. Co	1.40
Sept. 15,	Western Union Tel. Co	1.10
" 26,	J. M. Miller & Co	3.00
" 26,	C. C. Gerry	15.00
" 26,	Henderson Ross	1.00
" 26,	Washington Rice	4.50
Oct. 12,	McDevitt & Moore	3.00
" 12,	Young Bros. & Maris	2.95
" 12,	W. A. Olmsted	77.00
" 12,	Western Union Tel. Co	.99
" 12,	City of Decatur	17.50
" 12,	Decatur G. L. & C. Co	1.20
" 12,	Central Union Tel. Co	90.02
" 12,	E. A. Gastman, Supt	1.40
Nov. 9,	Decatur Gas Co	2.40
" 9,	Western Union Tel. Co	1.00
" 9,	Morehouse & Wells Co	7.20
Dec. 14,	" " "	91.30
" 14,	Decatur Gas Co	4.20
" 14,	Maffit Ice Co	0.98
" 14,	E. A. Gastman, Supt	6.90
1894.		
Jan. 11,	Morehouse & Wells Co	3.01
" 11,	City of Decatur	17.50
" 11,	Dr. Will Barnes	8.00
" 11,	Decatur Gas Co	4.50
" 11,	E. A. Gastman, Supt	1.45
" 11,	H. Mueller P. & H. Co	11.87
" 11,	Central Union Tel. Co	90.02
Feb. 15,	E. A. Gastman, Supt	4.90
" 15,	Decatur Gas Co	5.10
" 15,	W. A. Olmsted	6.80
" 15,	Morehouse & Wells Co	3.25
" 15,	William Groves	2.60
" 23,	Decatur Gas Co	5.30
" 23,	Morehouse & Wells Co	4.50
Apr. 12,	Spencer & Lehman Co	4.60
" 12,	City of Decatur	17.50
" 12,	Decatur G. L. & C. Co	3.10
May 10,	Central Union Tel. Co	90.02
" 10,	Spencer & Lehman Co	1.39
" 10,	Morehouse & Wells Co	1.38
" 10,	E. A. Gastman, Supt	40.56
" 10,	Decatur G. L. & C. Co	2.20
" 10,	Abel Carpet Co	.35
June 13,	Decatur Nursery Co	10.00
" 13,	H. D. Goshert	9.80
" 13,	William Groves	2.50
" 13,	H. F. Foster	1.00
" 13,	Decatur G. L. & C. Co	3.40
" 13,	George A. Wingate	2.15
" 18,	Dist. No. 5, T. 17	52.91
" 18,	Frank W. Haines	35.00
" 18,	Linn & Scruggs	6.75
" 18,	Election expenses	23.00
" 18,	K. H. Roby	5.00
	Total	$1,026.27

INTEREST.

1893.		
July 5,	K. H. Roby	$ 22.65
" 5,	Decatur Tile Co	6.51
Aug. 19,	Laidlaw & Co	375.00
" 17,	N. W. Harris & Co	1,125.00
" 23,	" " "	1,127.81
Oct. 12,	" " "	2.83
1894.		
Feb. 15,	K. H. Roby, Treas	9.02
" 23,	W. P. Hazelton	375.00
" 23,	K. H. Roby, Treas	41.06
April 2,	" " "	68.45
May 10,	" " "	47.27
" 24,	City of Decatur	431.20
June 18,	K. H. Roby, Treas	54.58
	Total	$3,686.57

INSURANCE.

1894.		
Jan. 11,	F. M. Watkins	$ 72.00
" 11,	Blume & Rapp	36.00
" 11,	Warren & Oldham	162.00
" 11,	Johnson & Dimock	30.00
" 11,	Hunter Bros	36.00
" 11,	S. R. Gher	51.30
" 11,	Lewis & Hankins	36.00
" 11,	Aaron Smick	36.00
" 11,	Montgomery & Shull	189.00
" 11,	Jesse Leforgee & Son	75.00
" 11,	John Nicholls	30.00
" 11,	Patterson & Wilson	18.00
" 11,	R. C. Leforgee	54.00
" 11,	Dodd & Sanner	90.00
" 11,	W. M. Hunter	27.60
" 11,	Kuny & Johns	108.00
" 11,	Walter & Walter	36.00
" 11,	Frank Williams	36.00
Feb. 23,	C. W. Montgomery	18.00
	Total	$1,152.30

PRINTING.

1893.		
July 5,	Review Publishing Co	$ 10.00
" 5	Hamsher & Calhoun	18.75
Aug. 14,	" "	6.50
" 14,	John Lindsay & Co	3.00
Sept. 15,	Herald-Despatch	13.70
" 26,	Herman Spies	13.50
" 26,	Herald-Despatch	13.50
Oct. 12,	Hamsher & Calhoun	70.00
" 12,	Review Publishing Co.	9.00
Nov. 9,	Herald-Despatch	1.10
" 9,	Geo. R. Bacon & Co.	8.50
1894.		
Jan. 11,	Hamsher & Calhoun	5.00
June 18,	" "	20.00
	Total	$ 192.35

REPAIRS.

1893.		
July 5,	W. F. Dennis & Bro	$ 6.65
" 5,	D. M. Fielding	14.53
" 5,	H. Mueller Gun Co	3.50
" 5,	Morehouse & Wells Co	9.56
Aug. 4,	J. B. Ehrhart	47.60
" 1,	" "	65.00
" 4,	" "	198.50
" 14,	W. A. Boyd	4.75
" 14,	A. M. Dillow	2.50
" 17,	Decatur Painting and Dec. Co	158.60
" 29,	W. A. Boyd	95.00
" 29,	A. H. Harris	21.75
Sept. 1,	J. B. Ehrhart	388.32
" 15,	Mills Lumber Co	8.03
" 15,	Robert F. Earnest	.60
" 15,	Huff Bros. Lumber Co	1.25
" 15,	J. C. Carter & Co	.75
" 15,	D. C. Moffitt & Co	62.65
" 15,	Mueller P. & H. Co	17.95
" 26,	Decatur Painting and Dec. Co.	8.00
" 26,	H. Mueller P. & H. Co	4.55
" 26,	Abel Carpet Co	15.00
Oct. 12,	Decatur Cornice Works	24.90
" 12,	Field & Wilson	8.55
" 12,	Lytle & Eckels	21.63
" 12,	Lyon & Armstrong Co	1.90
" 12,	J. E. Durfee	.35
Nov. 9,	Morgan & Adkeson	33.90
" 9,	H. Mueller P. & H. Co	2.65
" 9,	Smead Warming and Ven. Co.	7.11
" 9,	A. M. Dillow	1.50
" 9,	R. J. Wagy	51.40
" 9,	Mills Lumber Co	1.40
Dec. 14,	Morehouse & Wells Co	16.64
" 14,	D. C. Moffitt & Son	31.25
" 14,	Smead Warming and Ven. Co.	17.00
" 14,	Mueller P. & H. Co	3.50
1894.		
Jan. 11,	Bradley Bros	.90
" 11,	John I. Pesold	16.00
" 11,	D. C. Moffitt & Son	4.04
" 11,	Union Iron Works	2.28
" 11,	Smead Warming and Ven. Co	34.20
" 11,	H. C. Stultz	1.25
Feb. 15,	Abel Carpet Co	3.04
" 15,	O. E. Curtis & Bro	1.00
" 15,	Mueller P. & H. Co.	3.80
" 15,	Decatur Cornice Works	7.65
" 15,	Morehouse & Wells Co	4.32
" 15,	William Groves	3.00
" 15,	O. E. Curtis & Bro	2.00
" 23,	Lytle & Eckels Hardware Co	1.00
" 23,	Decatur Novelty Works	4.85
" 23,	Morehouse & Wells Co.	1.05
Apr. 12,	Mueller P. & H. Co	3.50
" 12,	Morehouse & Wells Co	6.16
" 12,	Mills Lumber Co	.64
" 12,	Abel Carpet Co	1.38
" 12,	W. A. Boyd	4.50
May 10,	C. L. Griswold & Co	1.65
" 10,	Mills Lumber Co	3.28
" 10,	B. M. Dennis	31.90
" 10,	W. A. Boyd	4.30
" 10,	Morehouse & Wells Co	2.12
" 10,	O. E. Curtis & Bro	1.00
June 13,	Lyon & Armstrong Co.	.70
" 13,	Morehouse & Wells Co.	7.09
" 13,	William Groves	.40
	Total	$1,511.21

STATIONERY.

1893.		
July 5,	Prang Educational Co	$ 6.00
" 5,	J. E. Saxton	36.00
Sept. 26,	Central School Supply House	3.00
" 26,	Burrows Bros. Co.	3.00
Oct. 12,	Joseph Gillott & Sons	60.00
" 12,	E. A. Gastman, Supt	8.00
Nov. 9,	J. H. Bevans	207.77
" 9,	George R. Bacon & Co.	5.24
1894.		
Jan. 11,	J. H. Bevans	93.10
Feb. 15,	Fuller & Fuller Co	6.03
Apr. 12,	E. A. Gastman, Sup	2.00
" 12,	George R. Bacon & Co.	4.50
" 12,	W. A. Olmsted	10.75
" 12,	J. H. Bevans	32.70
June 13,	George R. Bacon & Co	1.20
	Total	$481.48

STREET PAVING AND SEWERS.

1894.		
May 10.	H. C. Montgomery	$519.39

HIGH SCHOOL.

1893.		
July 5,	H. Mueller P. & H. Co	$ 10.35
" 5,	Samuel Lukens	20.80
" 5,	Decatur Tile Co.	60.30
" 22,	Cope Bros	12.00
Aug. 14,	Shellabarger M. & E. Co.	6.00
Dec. 14,	Huff Bros. Lumber Co	17.50
" 14,	Mueller P. & H. Co	11.75
	Total	$139.30

HIGH SCHOOL LABORATORY.

1893.		
Oct. 12,	W. A. Olmsted	$ 11.00
1894.		
Jan. 11.	W. A. Olmsted	15.40
	Total	$ 27.12

BILLS RECEIVABLE.

1894.		
Feb. 15,	William Widick	$1,600.00
June 18.	Luther F. Martin	508.26
	Total	$2,108.26

MARIETTA STREET SCHOOL.

1893.		
Sept. 15,	E. A. Greer	$93.00

WARREN STREET SCHOOL.

1893.		
July 3,	M. G. Patterson	$ 106.00
" 5,	Alfred Earnest	4.00
" 5,	Carrol Finin	48.20
" 8,	Lyon & Williams	1,800.00
" 22,	" "	1,800.00
Aug. 14,	I. N. Martin	40.00
" 14,	Field & Wilson	20.00
" 17,	Lyon & Williams	1,800.00
" 23,	I. N. Martin	50.00
Sept. 15,	Alfred Earnest	24.75
" 15,	Zimmerman & Shorb	12.90
" 15,	D. C. Moffitt & Son	68.85
" 15,	Lyon & Williams	2,000.00
" 26,	W. A. Olmsted	11.25
" 26,	Lyon & Williams	228.50
" 26,	D. C. Moffitt & Son	42.45
Oct. 12,	I. N. Martin	105.00
" 12,	Decatur Cornice Works	34.27
" 12,	Joseph Grass	36.70
" 12,	A. H. Harris	12.07
Nov. 9,	J. H. Oren	13.75
Apr. 12,	Patrick Kennedy	24.00
June 18,	C. A. Mathias	82.00
	Total	$8,365.44

SALARIES.

A. Alta Dawson, 1st Grade, 38 weeks	$ 450.00
Virginia N. Odor, 2d Grade, 38 weeks	405.00
Lucinda A. Johnson, 2d Grade, 38 wks	405.00
Alice Jennings, 1st Grade, 38 weeks	500.00
Delle Johnson, supervisor of drawing, 38 weeks	700.00
Ella Dixon, 5th Grade, 36 weeks	389.07
Olive N. Bear, 4th Grade, 38 weeks	300.00
Eva Humphrey, 3d Grade, 38 weeks	425.00
Cora McGorray, 4th Grade, 38 weeks	402.05
Grace L. Dills, librarian, 20 weeks	146.36
Mabel E. Wilson, 3d Grade, 38 weeks	360.00
Louis B. Lee, prin'l High School, 38 wks	1,600.00
John A. Peters, ass't in H. S.	730.00
Elizabeth L. Howes, ass't H. S., "	600.00
Elmer K. Towl, " " "	570.00
Bessie N. Cravath, " " "	630.00
Jacob H. Coonradt, " " "	1,100.00
Mary W. French, " " "	800.00
J. Edna Worthley, " " "	600.00
Flora E. Hill, " " "	600.00
Anna B. Simms, " " "	600.00
E. A. Gastman, superintendent, 1 year	2,000.00
Florence W. Brand, principal Sangamon Street School, 38 weeks	602.07
Mame Brand, 6th Grade, 38 weeks	425.00
Carlotta M. Adams, 4th and 5th Grades, 38 weeks	360.00
Anna W. Hayden, 2d and 3rd Grades, 38 weeks	425.00
Blanche Allsop, 4th and 5th Grades, 38 weeks	360.00
Mary L. English, principal Warren Street School, 38 weeks	625.00
May Cochran, 2d Grade, 38 weeks	388.38
Flora A. Culp, 1st Grade, 38 weeks	500.00
Thomas L. Evans, principal Marietta Street School, 38 weeks	1,000.00
Bertha Norman, principal Jasper Street School, 38 weeks	540.00
Oka Calvin, 5th Grade, 16 weeks	210.00
Laura Longenecker, 4th Grade, 38 wks	425.00
Maud Calhoun, 3d Grade, 38 weeks	450.00
Minnie E. Davis, 2d Grade, 38 weeks	475.00
Kathleen Sherrick, 1st Grade, 38 weeks	500.00
Kathrine Dempsey, principal Church Street School, 38 weeks	625.00
Nettie C. Pritchett, 5th Grade, 38 weeks	475.00
Kate G. Aikin, 4th Grade, 38 weeks	450.00
Clara N. Hawkes, 3d Grade, 38 weeks	342.16
Anna E. Murphy, 1st Grade, 38 weeks	600.00
Jennie E. Durfee, principal Wood Street School, 38 weeks	810.00
Flora B. Smith, 2d Grade, 38 weeks	500.00
Eva M. Bixby, 5th Grade, 38 weeks	450.00
Mary E. Brooks, 4th Grade, 38 weeks	475.00
Ida Hockingberry, 3d and 4th Grades, 38 weeks	500.00
Sophia M. Drobisch, 3d Grade, 16 weeks	189.44
Louise Adams, 8 days	8.00
Clara E. Eyman, principal Jackson Street School, 38 weeks	675.00
Mrs. Jennie Montgomery, 6th Grade, 28 weeks	500.00
Mrs. Mattie E. Kerr, 5th Grade, 38 wks	450.00
Mrs. Nettie Crosier, 3d and 4th Grades, 38 weeks	405.00
Emma E. Hord, 3d Grade, 38 weeks	425.00
Mary M. Wood, 2d Grade, 38 weeks	360.00
Laura Martin, 1st Grade, 38 weeks	500.00
Laura Aikin, 6th Grade, 38 weeks	450.00
Minnie Bigelow, 5th Grade, 38 weeks	500.00
May Keethes, 4th Grade, 38 weeks	425.00
A. Marie Macpherson, 6th Grade, 38 wks	475.00
Laura Montgomery, 1st Grade, 38 wks	500.00
Ella D. Boyer, 3d Grade, 28 weeks	500.00
Frank W. Westhoff, supervisor of music, 38 weeks	617.50
John Loeffler, principal H. B. Durfee School, 38 weeks	720.00
Elizabeth Mathews, librarian, 18 wks	115.38
Grace K. Hutchison, 1st and 2d Grades,	315.00
Kate R. Dennis, 3d Grade, 36 weeks	298.44
Emma Harpstrite, 2d Grade, 38 weeks	315.00
Ellen I. Bond, ass't in H. S., 32 weeks	597.38
Celeste Hoffman, 5th Grade, 22 weeks	280.00
John Eichinger, ass't in H. S., 20 weeks	237.50
Mrs. J. N. Sterrit, librarian, 4 weeks	28.40
Mollie E. Williams, 3d Grade, 9 weeks	90.00
Clara E. Hoffman, 3d Grade, 22 weeks	140.50
Total	$33,013.04

JANITORS.

Robert F. Earnest, High School	$ 660.00
W. H. Garret, Sangamon St. School	350.00
Alfred Earnest, Warren St. School	380.62
E. A. Greer, Marietta St. School	415.00
Washington Rice, Church St. School	350.00
William Stigger, Wood St. School	409.00
William Groves, Jackson St. School	400.00
John H. Travis, Jasper St. School	350.00
C. J. Lyons, H. B. Durfee School	300.00
Total	$3,614.62

TUITION FUND.

Account of moneys received for tuition of pupils living out of the district, and from other sources, together with the expenditures of the same for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1894:

DEBIT.

1893.		
July 1.	Balance on hand	$108.18
1894.		
June 30.	Amount received from all sources during the year	411.29
	Total	$519.47

CREDIT.

1894.		
June 30,	Amount paid for books, papers, maps, charts, etc.	$206.49
" 30,	Amount paid for trees and plants	11.30
" 30,	Amount paid for apparatus	1.65
" 30,	Amount paid for High School laboratory	61.13
" 30,	Amount paid for rebinding books, expressage and incidentals	26.25
" 30,	Balance on hand	212.65
	Total	$519.47

E. A. GASTMAN, *Supt.*

GENERAL STATISTICS.

Highest salary paid male teacher	$ 1,600.00
Lowest " " " "	475.00
Highest salary paid female teacher	810.00
Lowest " " " "	270.00
Salary of superintendent and clerk	2,000.00

The expenses during the year were:

Salary of teachers and superintendent	$36,910.04
Other expenses, including freight and drayage, fuel, incidentals, insurance, interest, janitors, printing, repairs and stationery	13,394.71
Total	$50,304.75
Cost per pupil on average number belonging, for teaching and superintendence, including High School	$12.02
Cost per pupil on average daily attendance, for teaching and superintendence, including High School	12.70
Cost per pupil on average number belonging, for all expenses and interest paid, including High School	16.39
Cost per pupil on average daily attendance, for all expenses and interest paid, including High school	17.31

ENROLLMENT.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Whole number of children in district, between 6 and 21 years of age, census of July, 1893	2,962	2,888	5,850
Whole number different pupils enrolled	1,811	1,937	3,748
Average number of pupils belonging to the schools	1,480	1,589	3,069
Average daily attendance	1,402	1,504	2,906
Average per cent. of attendance	95.7	95.1	95.4
Number of tardinesses during the year	791	809	1,600
Number of tardinesses to each pupil in daily attendance	.45	.35	.4
Average age of pupils	12.4	12.3	12.3
Number of pupils neither absent nor tardy during the entire year	64	68	132
Number of pupils not tardy during the year	679	832	1,511

Number of teachers employed during the year:

	Males.	Females.	Total.
High School	5	7	12
Ward Schools	3	52	55

HIGH SCHOOL.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Number different pupils in High School	165	279	444
Av. number belonging	153	259	412
Av. daily attendance	148	250	398
Per cent. of attendance	97.1	96.4	96.7
Number of tardinesses	65	105	170

GRAMMAR SCHOOLS—GRADES 5, 6 AND 7.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Number different pupils enrolled	530	610	1,140
Av. number belonging	450	521	971
Av. daily attendance	431	496	927
Per cent of attendance	95.7	95.1	95.4
Number of tardinesses	207	160	367

PRIMARY SCHOOLS—GRADES 1, 2, 3 AND 4.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Number different pupils enrolled	1,116	1,048	2,164
Av. number belonging	877	809	1,686
Av. daily attendance	823	758	1,581
Per cent. of attendance	94.3	94.1	94.2
Number of tardinesses	529	544	1,073

One hundred and seventy-five more pupils were enrolled this year than last.

The average daily attendance increased eighty-two, or enough to fill two school rooms.

The average per cent. of attendance in all the schools was 95.4 per cent. or one-tenth of one per cent. better than last year, or one-half of one per cent. better than it was two years ago. The following schools report an average for the year of over 96 per cent: High School, Jennie E. Durfee, Clara E. Eyman, Mattie E. Kerr, Ella Boyer, Emma E. Hord, Mary E. Brooks, Cora McGorray and May Keethes. The latter had the highest per cent. in the city, 97.8.

The total number of tardinesses was 1,600, or 93 less than last year. The following schools report 10 or less: Florence W. Brand, Mary L. English, Jennie Montgomery, Kathrine Dempsey, Nettie C. Pritchett, Clara E. Eyman, Olive N. Bear and Laura Longenecker. The latter had but six cases, the best record in the city.

Eleven members of the schools died within the year.

Forty-five pupils were suspended for misconduct during the year. Nearly all of these were reinstated by the superintendent on the promise that the offense would not be repeated. No case was appealed to the board of education for final settlement.

There were one hundred and three cases of corporal punishment, which was ten less than the number reported last year. The following schools report no cases: High School, Florence W. Brand, Thomas L. Evans, Jennie Montgomery, Jennie E. Durfee, A. Marie Macpherson, Eva M. Bixby, Clara E. Eyman, Mattie E. Kerr, Eva Humphrey, May Cochran, Flora A. Culp, Laura Longenecker, Kathleen Sherrick, Anna E. Murphy, Mary E. Brooks, Flora B. Smith, Laura Martin, May Keethes, Laura Montgomery, Anna W. Hayden. Nine other schools had but one case each.

Specimen Cases.

S. H. Clifford, New Castle, Wis., was troubled with Neuralgia and Rheumatism, his Stomach was disordered, his Liver was affected to an alarming degree, appetite fell away, and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strength. Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured him.

Edward Shepherd, Harrisburg, Ill., had a running sore on his leg of eight years' standing. Used three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and his leg is sound and well. John Speaker, Catawba, O., had five large Fever Sores on his leg, doctors said he was incurable. One bottle Electric Bitters and One box Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him entirely. Sold by King & Hubbard's Drug Store.

WHENEVER a murder is committed in Argentina it is customary to put every possible witness in prison and keep him there until the real culprit is convicted.

Ballard's Snow Liniment.

This Liniment is different in composition from any other liniment on the market. It is a scientific discovery which results in its being the most penetrating Liniment ever known. There are numerous white imitations, which may be recommended because they *pay the seller* a greater profit. Beware of these and demand *Ballard's Snow Liniment.* It positively cures Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Sprains, Bruises, Wounds, Cuts, Sciatic and Inflammatory Rheumatism, Burns, Scalds, Sore Feet, Contracted Muscles, Stiff Joints, Old Sores, Pain in Back, Barb Wire Cuts, Sore Chest or Throat, and is especially beneficial in Paralysis. Sold by C. H. Dawson, Druggist.

THE *Pall Mall Gazette* auhtoritatively announces that Richard Harding Davis "is what the masses and penetrating intellect of Boston is wont to describe as 'bright.'"

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For Sale By

KING & HUBBARD.

E. W. BURR of San Francisco the originator and founder of the savings and loan system in California, has just died at the age of 85.

The New Spring Hats

are all adorned with roses. The roses on your cheeks can be retained by using Parks' Tea. It cures the blood of impurities, moves the bowels every day and gives health and strength to the user. Sold by W. F. Neisler.

IN Chattanooga a man 76 years old kissed the hand of a young lady by way of compliment, and she has sued him for breach of promise.

FOR instance, Mrs. Chas. Rogers, of Bay City, Mich., accidentally spilled scalding water over her little boy. She promptly applied De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve, giving instant relief. Its a wonderfully good salve for burns, bruises, sores, and a sure cure for Piles. C. H. Dawson.

IN China a man who killed his father was executed, and along with him his schoolmaster for not having taught him better.

RUDY'S PILE SUPPOSITORY is guaranteed to cure Piles and Constipation, or money refunded. 50 cents per box. Send stamp for circular and free sample to MARTIN RUDY, Lancaster, Pa. For Sale by W. A. Dixon & Co., Druggists, Decatur, Ill.

THERE are clubs of girls in Sydney, the object of which is to attend the theater without male escort.

HEADACHE is the direct result of Indigestion and Stomach Disorders. Remedy these by using DeWitt's Little Early Risers and your Headache disappears. The favorite Little Pill everywhere. C. H. Dawson.

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A Pleasing and Instructive Entertainment.

Prof. Roche has just concluded a highly successful ten days engagement at Quincy, Ill., and is now appearing at the Grand Opera House in Bloomington.

The Great Rock-Breaking Test will be given on the opening night. Don't fail to see it. One lady admitted free with each 30 cent ticket Thursday night. Seats on sale Tuesday, August 7th at Tyler's Opera House drug store.

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Has Arrived.

Dr. W. Oakley Coffee,

The Eminent Oculist and Aurist,

Of the Chicago Eye and Ear Infirmary,

With his staff of assistants, has arrived in Decatur and is now at the

ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL,

Where he will Remain Until Saturday, Aug. 11.

Remember the date and send word to your friends and do not miss this opportunity to be cured of Deafness and Blindness. The doctor will straighten the first case of Cross Eyes that applies Free of Charge. He cured over 500 Deaf and Blind people at Galesburg, many of which are the most noted cures on record. He refers to a few of them.

Catarrh and Deafness positively cured by a new treatment and new methods discovered by myself two years ago. It is the most wonderful discovery of this age on Nose and Ear Disease.

CROSS EYES straightened in one minute without pain or chloroform, and patients go home with impunity. Granulated Eyes, Weak, Watery Eyes, Drooping Eye Lids, Wild Hairs, Astigmatism, Nearsightedness and all Eye Strains cured. Glasses fitted when all others fail.

POLYPUS TUMORS OF THE NOSE, Enlarged Tonsils, Granulated Sore Throat, Loss of Voice and diseases of the nose and throat cured quickly and permanently.

NOISES IN THE EARS stopped in every case. Discharging ears cured in every case.

DEAFNESS.—We cure 90 per cent. of the cases, no matter how long you have been deaf. It is not the length of time but the changes in the Ear that makes it incurable. Come and see me; I can tell in five minutes whether curable or not.

CATARRH. I can cure every case. Treatment gives immediate relief. Remember, if you have any disease of the

Eye, Ear, Nose or Throat.

READ WHAT THESE PEOPLE HAVE TO SAY. If that does not satisfy you, come and see me and I will refer you to over 100 people cured or being cured by me. Among them are doctors, lawyers, bankers, business men and working men, and if you find any one of these that say they ever had or saw used the treatment I use I will treat you free. If you are coming come early and have the advantage of this long stay.

Miss Jennie Seamon of Abingdon says: Some nine years ago I was taken with a severe pain in my right ear. It continued to ache for almost a week, and when it did stop I was entirely deaf. I was so alarmed in regard to it that I immediately went to Chicago and consulted three leading occulists and aurists, and they all told me that the nerve was paralyzed and that nothing could be done. I afterward went to Peoria and had my ear examined there, but received no encouragement. I gave up all hopes until I read of the wonderful cures wrought by Dr. Coffee, resolved to consult him as a last resort. I did so, and in just one treatment he gave me hearing enough in my deaf ear to hear a watch tick. I think his method of treatment is the most wonderful I have ever seen, and I would advise all deaf persons to see him.

W. H. Conners of near Knoxville, says: I have suffered with catarrh of the nose and throat for years; my sense of smell was entirely destroyed and I could not breathe through one side of the nose. The dripping in my throat had gone to my stomach and made in such a condition tha everything I ate disagreed with me. I have been under Dr. Coffee's treatment now for almost three weeks and am so improved that I feel like another man. He took a growth out of my nose which made the passage perfectly clear.

Miss Anna Manger, of 308 West Knox street, Galesburg: Eyes have been crossed since a child. Were straightened by Dr. Coffee in one minute without pain or chloroform. Eyes are now perfect.

Lucian Warren's son that works on The Daily *Mail* in this city was crossed eyed since 4 years old and his eyes were straightened by Dr. Coffee in one minute at the Union hotel.

W. H. Hudson, living near Monmouth says: "When I was a boy about 12 or 14 years old I had the measles quite badly and after getting up found that I was deaf in my left ear and in a short time the ear began discharging. I went to our family doctor, as there were no specialists at that time, who treated me as best he could but gave me no permanent relief. I did not consider my case very alarming, however, until several years afterwards when I began growing deaf in my right ear. I became so deaf in a short time that I could hardly hear anything. I was so anxious in regard to my hearing that I went to Chicago and was treated for several weeks, but came home very little if any benefited. I had long ago given up all hopes of obtaining relief and then I was so old that I supposed there was no help for me, but several weeks ago I read an advertisement in one of the Galesburg papers of the wonderful cures wrought by Dr. W. O. Coffee and while I had no hopes of his curing me, I thought possibly I might get some benefit, so just three weeks ago I called on him and went under treatment. I was so benefited the first time he treated me that I heard better than I had for twenty years, and to-day I can hear an ordinary voice in most any sized room. The doctor's method of treatment is wonderful and something entirely different from anything I ever saw or heard of. I would advise all deaf persons to see him.

John Harpman's mother, aged 77 years, of Victoria, had been entirely blind for years with cataract; after a very delicate and skillful operation by Dr. Coffee her sight was restored in one one minute.

Peter McClymont, of Onedia, was growing deaf and had noises in his ears, and was almost completely cured at the first treatment.

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